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INSURGENTS TAKE DISTRICTS IN PRIMARIES OF ILLINOIS

Gansbergen Beats Boutell, Copley Defeats Conn and McKenzie Wins.

FOSS IS NOMINATED

Browne and 22 of 32 Democrats Who Backed Lorimer Are Chosen.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.— Insurgents were victorious in three out of the twenty-five congressional districts of Illinois in the primary election yesterday.

Henry S. Boutell, stand-patter Republican, who has represented the ninth, a Chicago district, in Congress for twelve years, was defeated by Frederick H. Gansbergen, who conducted his campaign on an out-and-out insurgent platform. Gansbergen was supported by the regular Republican organization. Gansbergen's vote was 3,870 and Boutell's 2,598. Arthur West, the third candidate, received 1,134 votes.

In the eleventh district, Colonel Ira Copley, the first man in Illinois to come out as an insurgent candidate, won the Republican nomination over George W. Conn, who classed himself as a Progressive conservative. This seat is now occupied by Howard M. Snapp, a stand-patter. Colonel Copley carried the district by 468 votes, according to the latest figures.

John C. McKenzie secured the Republican nomination in the thirteenth district after a spirited contest with Reuben R. Tiffany. Both McKenzie and Tiffany denied affiliation with the stand-patters, McKenzie making his campaign as a Progressive, while Tiffany expressed more liberal views and classed himself as an insurgent.

Congressman Frank Lowden, the present representative from this district has been aligned with the regulars and the selection of McKenzie is a gain for the Progressives.

FOSS RETURNED.

George Edmund Foss, a stand-patter and head of the naval affairs committee of the House, won the Republican nomination in the tenth district by about 600 votes, after a hard contest in which he was opposed by George P. Englehart and Fred D. Lange, insurgents.

In the second district, Congressman J. R. Mann received more votes than his two insurgent opponents combined.

Speaker Joseph Cannon was renominated in the eighteenth district by a majority close to 6000. He was opposed by Henry H. Downs, an insurgent of his own city.

Lee O'Neill Browne, the minority leader in the lower house of the Illinois legislature, who was recently acquitted of a charge of bribery in connection with the election of United States Senator William Lorimer, was renominated for representative in La Salle county by a large majority.

Out of thirty-two Democrats in the last legislature who voted for William Lorimer for United States senator, twenty-two were renominated yesterday.

LIST OF CANDIDATES

The following is a list of Republican and Democratic nominees for Congress:

First district—Republicans, Martin B. Madden. Democrats, Michael E. Maher.

Second district—Republicans, x-James R. Mann. Democrats, John C. Vaughan.

Third district—Republicans, x-William L. Wilson. Democrats, Fred J. Crowley.

Fourth district—Republicans, Michael G. Walsh. Democrats, x-James C. McDermott.

Fifth district —Republicans, Louis H. Chussman. Democrats, x-Adolph J. Sabath.

Sixth district —Republicans, x-William J. Moxley. Democrats, Edmund J. Stack.

Seventh district — Republicans, x-Frederick Lundin. Democrats, Frank Buchanan.

Eighth district —Republicans, Daniel D. Coffey. Democrats, x-Thomas Gallagher.

Ninth district —Republicans, Fred H. Gansbergen. Democrats, Lynden Evans.

Tenth district —Republicans, x-George Edmund Foss. Democrats, Richard J. Finnegan.

Eleventh district —Republicans, Ira C. Copley. Democrats, Frank O. Hawley.

Twelfth district — Republicans, x-Charles E. Fuller. Democrats, no candidate.

Thirteenth district —Republicans, John McKenzie. Democrats, Henry S. Dixon.

Fourteenth district — Republicans, x-James McKinney. Democrats, no candidate.

Fifteenth district —Republicans, x-George W. Prince. Democrats, Albert E. Bergland.

Sixteenth district — Republicans, x-Joseph V. Graff. Democrats, Claude U. Stone.

Seventeenth district — Republicans, x-John A. Sterling. Democrats, Louis Fitz Henry.

Eighteenth district —Republicans, x-Joseph G. Cannon. Democrats, William L. Cundiff.

Nineteenth district —Republicans, x-William B. McKinley. Democrats, T. C. Grady.

Twentieth district — Republicans, James H. Buckin. Democrats, x-Henry T. Rainey.

Twenty-first district — Republicans, H. Clay Wilson. Democrats, x-James M. Graham.

Twenty-second district — Republicans, x-William A. Rodenberg. Democrats, Bruce A. Campbell.

Twenty-third district —Republicans, L. H. Joy. Democrats, x-Martin D. Foster.

Twenty-fourth district —Republicans, x-Pleasant T. Chapman. Democrats, x-H. Robert Fowler.

Twenty-fifth district —Republicans, x-N. B. Thistlewood. Democrats, William D. Lyerlie.

x—Renominated.

OIL IN CREEK BURNS.

SAN JOSE, Sept. 16.—The oil refuse from the Southern Pacific roundhouse and yards, which has been poured into the Los Gatos creek, nearby, was set afire today by some unknown person, and for half an hour the oil on the water sent up a huge blaze and vast columns of smoke. The creek was hastily dammed to head off the blazing oil, which was rapidly approaching a bridge below. It then burned itself out.

CASHES VITRIOL IN FACE OF GIRL WHO RESISTS ATTENTIONS

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—During a quarrel with his sweetheart, Miss Laura Lyle Jones, in her apartments tonight, Dr Walter J. Hennessy, at one time one of the best known professional baseball players in the United States, dashed the contents of a quart bottle of vitriol in the young woman's face, burning her in a terrible manner.

Dr. Hennessy and Miss Jones had been companions for some time. Several days ago they had a misunderstanding.

Forcing an entrance to her apartments tonight, Dr. Hennessy brandished a revolver and demanded that Miss Jones accompany him to a downtown cafe. When she refused to go, he took the bottle of acid from his pocket and, catching her by the arm, poured the burning fluid upon her neck and chin. He then threw the remainder of the poison into her face.

Miss Jones, who is known to the stage as Laura Lyle, is horribly scored from the acid and is suffering intense pain.

BOUTELL TO MAKE INDEPENDENT RACE

Says Direct Primary, in Which He Was Beaten, Is Unreliable.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—Congressman Henry Sherman Boutell, who was defeated by nearly 1,000 votes in yesterday's primaries by F. H. Gansbergen, who proclaims himself a Progressive Republican, stated today that he would run independently. Mr. Boutell will leave for Washington tomorrow and it is believed for Beverly soon.

"I will run independently and beat my rivals on the simple principles of responsible, representative government," said Mr. Boutell. "I place no reliance in direct primaries. In my district fewer than one-third of the Republican voters went to the polls. Pure democracy has always been a failure. The initiative and referendum, direct vote for senators—these are vagaries. The idea of one hundred million people trying to legislate direct on subjects that individually they do not understand!

"The only thing that makes me hesitate to run is that I am a party man. I am willing to accede to the wishes of my party when they are honestly expressed. The voters were misled by the statements of hired professional liars."

The congressman said he had received telegrams from 113 constituents asking him to stay in the race.

DIRIGIBLE BALLOON SOARS ABOVE ARMY

CRANVILIERES, France, Sept. 16.—The dirigible balloon Clement-Bayard, made a successful flight without lights last night over the positions of bivouacked armies which are participating in the French maneuvers.

WILSON TO RESIGN SOON.

PRINCETON, N. J., Sept. 16.—Dr. Woodrow Wilson, who was yesterday nominated for governor of New Jersey by the Democratic state convention, said this afternoon that he would offer his resignation as president of Princeton University to the board of trustees at its meeting on October 20th. Regarding the campaign, Dr. Wilson said he did not expect to make many speeches.

VOTES IN BERKELEY DEFEAT ANNEXATION

Completed Returns Show Project Snowed Under in College Town.

OAKLAND, Sept. 16.—Completed returns today in the annexation election show that the measure failed of being carried. The corrected vote shows that Oakland gave a total of 2,914 for annexation and 333 against. In Berkeley the vote stood 1,401 for annexation and 4,010 against. As the majority was necessary in each city, the vote of Berkeley defeats the measure.

INDIANS MAY GET MILLIONS ON LAND

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Chippewa Indians will be enriched by $2,800,000 if the offers of the timber Chippewa Indian lands in Minnesota are accepted by the government. The sale took place at Cass Lake, Minn., yesterday, and the competition among the binders was strong.

The average per thousand feet offered for the timber was $8.40, the highest price being $14.

WOMAN DRIVER WRECKS AIRSHIP; IS UNHURT

MINEOLA, L. I., Sept. 16.—Mrs. Raische, wife of the head of an aeroplane company, had the distinction today of figuring in the first accident to an aeroplane driven by a woman at the aviation grounds here today.

Mrs. Raische went out on the field today for the initial try, which, with beginners, consists of what is known as "grass cutting" or skimming the field. She had gone perhaps a mile when the nose of the machine was jammed into the ground, smashing the forward control. She was thrown out but she was not seriously injured.

THEOSOPHISTS ARE CHARGED WITH A PLOT TO GET BEQUEST

Son of Mrs. H. P. Thurston Files Sensational Contest on Will.

ALLEGES CONSPIRACY

Says Head of Pt. Loma Colony Worked on Weakness of Old Woman.

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 16.—Suit was filed in the superior court here today to contest the will of Mrs. Harriet P. Thurston, who died at Newburyport, Mass., recently. In her will there is a legacy of $100,000 to Mrs. Katherine Tingley, head of the theosophical organization at the Point Loma homestead. The contestant is George L. Patterson, a son of Mrs. Thurston. The complaint alleges conspiracy and undue influence. Some of the allegations are extremely sensational.

Mrs. Thurston was 74 years old. Her estate is estimated, according to the contestant, to be worth from $400,000 to $700,000. The complaint, among other matters, alleges that in 1901, Mrs. Harriet P. Thurston, then Mrs. Harriet Patterson, went to the Homestead; that two years later she was married to Clark Thurston, an official of Mrs. Tingley's organization, and that Mrs. Tingley induced them to marry, both being then infirm. It is asserted that the will was not signed in the presence of George Butler and Mabel Reutsch, whose names appear as witnesses. It is alleged that for more than five years prior to the time of her death, Mrs. Thurston was afflicted with disease of both body and mind and was so feeble as not to be competent to transact business or attend to the ordinary affairs of life. It is alleged that Mrs. Tingley, with the aid of several of her associates, took advantage of Mrs. Thurston's condition to induce her to make the legacy to the head of the Universal Brotherhood, as Mrs. Tingley is styled. It is charged that in furtherance of a conspiracy, Mrs. Tingley placed those associates in constant contact with Mrs. Thurston and that they urged her to dispose of a large part of her fortune by leaving it to Mrs. Tingley or persons under her control, and that they impressed upon the old lady the doctrine that the people of the world should constitute one universal brotherhood; that family ties were to be regarded as of minor importance; that her three children were not entitled to the greater part of her fortune, and that her son, George, who is now contesting the will, was not a fit person to receive any part of the estate.

The petition was presented in court this afternoon in the presence of Mrs. Tingley and several of her advisers. Her attorney, Senator L. A. Wright, said:

"There is not much to say now. The facts will all come out when the case is tried."

ONE DEAD AND 18 HURT IN A WRECK

Passenger Trains Collide, But Only Occupants of Smoker Injured.

HOLT, Mo., Sept. 16.—One man was killed and eighteen persons injured when two passenger trains met in a head-on collision on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad one mile north of here at 6:30 o'clock tonight.

The trains which collided were the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy No. 5, which left Kansas City at 5 o'clock, and the Rock Island Pacific No. 201, which left Chicago at 11:30 last night. The latter train headed in on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy tracks at Cameron Junction on its way to Kansas City. A misunderstanding or orders by the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy crew is said to have been responsible for the wreck.

The trains were to have passed at this station.

E. L. Howard, Brookfield, Mo., brakeman of N. 6, was killed.

Among the injured are:

Joe Mitchick, Brookfield, conductor No. 6.

William Carroll, Brookfield, engineer No. 6, right leg broken.

John Minger, Hamilton, Mo., head and legs hurt.

Richard Hunt, Cameron, Mo., back and right side bruised.

Edward Stephens, Brookfield, Mo., head cut and back hurt.

E. E. L. Scott, Lathrop, Mo., head and hands injured.

S. E. Langherty, Joliet, Mont., head cut, shoulder and leg injured.

Thomas McKinstry, Brookfield, Mo., fireman No. 6, slight.

The weight of the engine of train No. 201 and the fact that it carried steel cars prevented any one on it being injured. None of the injured will die, it is thought. All those who were hurt, with the exception of the members of the crew, were in the smoking car on the Burlington train. This car was derailed and rolled down an embankment. All the remainder of the equipment of both trains remained on the track.

After the Burlington train had passed here, Luther E. Wilbert, the agent, realized a wreck might take place. He called farmers along the line by telephone and pleaded with them to stop the train, but it was too late. Howard, who was killed, was thrown through a window of the smoker and crushed beneath the car. Relief trains were sent from Kansas City and Lathrop.

CHARLES TEAGUE IS CHOSEN DIRECTOR OF REALTY FEDERATION

SAN JOSE, Sept. 16.— With a big banquet tonight at the Hotel Vendome, the principal business sessions of the California State Realty Federation's annual convention were brought to a close. The election of directors by the convention and their subsequent selection of officers marked today's work.

The directors elected are: J. E. Fisher, San Jose; C. C. Justice, Oakland; U. L. Dyck, Sacramento; Frank K. Mott, Oakland; E. G. Hart, Los Angeles; C. R. Scott, Tulare; J. E. Wild, Modesto; C. Teague, Fresno, and H. McMarion, San Francisco.

This evening the new directors chose the following officers:

J. E. Fisher, San Jose, president; Maybray McMahan, San Francisco, first vice president; Edwin G. Hart, Los Angeles, second vice president; G. J. Wren, Modesto, third vice president; W. R. Noble, Sacramento, treasurer; L. M. Platt, Los Angeles, executive secretary; C. O. Sprenger, Los Angeles, recording and seal secretary.

One of the entertainment features of the convention which called out a big attendance of delegates was an automobile trip throughout the valley this afternoon. Tomorrow a trolley ride and barbecue at Congress Springs will feature the day.

The program of the morning session comprised an address by A. E. Crane of Sacramento on "The State Fair and Its Importance to Real Estate Men of California;" reports of local organizations and committees; an address by H. M. Smith, manager of the colonization department of the Southern Pacific company, and the election of directors. At noon the Sacramento delegation kept open house in the ball room of the St. James hotel, where music was discoursed by a Sacramento band and every visitor was presented with a basket of Sacramento grapes.

WOMAN 80 YEARS OLD IS REGISTERED AS STUDENT

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 16.—Mrs. A. D. Winship, aged 80 years, and a former resident of Racine, Wis., but now of Columbus, registered today as a student in the Ohio State University. Mrs. Winship will take an optional course and says she is going to college simply because she likes to acquire all the knowledge she can. She has recently returned from Michigan, where she has been attending a summer school.

CHIEF MARTIN TO RETIRE IS BELIEF

Resignation of Roasted Official Reported in Hands of Mayor McCarthy.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—That Chief of Police Martin is prepared to resume his former position as a retired police captain on half pay is the general belief around headquarters, where the mayor's letter denouncing the conduct of the department has been the all-absorbing topic today. Early in the day it was reported that Martin's resignation was in the hands of the mayor and the latter refused to deny that he had received the document. After a conference at the mayor's office, attended by the members of the police commission, the special meeting of that body scheduled for the afternoon was indefinitely postponed.

It is believed that as the result of the conference the pension board of the police department will, at the request of Chief Martin, retire him on half pay with his former rank of captain. This was the position held by the chief before his elevation to his present office. Speculation as to Martin's successor is rife, with the name of Sergeant John O'Meara most frequently mentioned for the place. It is said that Captain of Detectives Wall will serve as acting chief until Martin's successor is named.

FIEND KILLS FATHER, ASSAULTS DAUGHTER

17-Year-Old Boy Arrested for Crime; Townspeople Are Excited.

NEWKIRK, Okla., Sept. 16.—After leaving her father, Taylor Shephard, and her uncle, J. W. Shepard, unconscious in another room, an unidentified man who entered the Shephard home here last night assaulted Taylor Shephard's 13-year-old daughter and escaped. A vigilance committee has been ordered to search the town.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., Sept. 16.—J. W. Shepard, whose 13-year-old daughter was assaulted at Newkirk, Okla., fourteen miles south of here, today, died as the result of injuries at the hands of the assailant. The brother of the girl, Taylor Sheppard, is in a serious condition and it is believed cannot live. The two men, it is said, were almost cut to pieces with an axe before the assault was committed.

Walter Cassady, a 17-year-old boy of Newkirk, is under arrest there and excitement runs high.

ARREST WOMAN BIGAMIST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Mrs. Stuart-Murphy, wanted in Los Angeles on the charge of bigamy, was arrested today on the arrival of the steamship President here. Mrs. Stuart claims that Murphy knew that she was already married when he married her in Los Angeles. She claims that she was cruelly treated by Murphy and returned to this city when her relatives sent her funds to pay her way.

BALLINGER TO PUT HIS COURSE UP TO OTHERS OF CABINET

Will Let Attitude of Colleagues Decide If He Shall Resign.

HE FEELS INNOCENT

Intended Resigning "for Public Good" Should He Be Vindicated.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Whether Richard A. Ballinger's resignation as Secretary of the Interior will follow immediately upon the cabinet meeting, September 26th, to attend which he is now enroute from Seattle, or whether he will retain his position indefinitely—at least until after the delivery to Congress of the reports of the committee that investigated his stewardship of the public domain, depends now upon the attitude of his cabinet associates.

Ballinger is coming to Washington, his friends say, wholly unconscious of any act on his part of which he should be condemned, and has determined to force his chief and his official colleagues to be in effect his judges. If they concur in the view at present attributed to Taft that the accused secretary shall be sustained as an innocent and persecuted man, he will retain his position; if they fail to back him up, he will resign. That this is Ballinger's position was learned here today upon authority hardly to be questioned.

DICKINSON ABSENT.

At the first meeting of the cabinet after the summer recess, Secretary Dickinson, the Democratic member, will not have returned from the Philippines and therefore will be saved the embarrassment of participation in what is regarded largely a problem of Republican policy. The meeting is expected to last three days.

It will surprise nobody here if the Ballinger case occupies a large part of the time.

Rumors have been constant and decidedly definite here during the last few days that Ballinger's resignation would be one of the first developments of the cabinet meeting; but his friends, including his associates in the Interior Department, have refused to believe that he would retire "under fire" and have pointed to his oft-repeated declaration to the contrary and to the recent statement attributed to him that he would resign only at the specific request of the President.

Some of these, however, today admitted that they, themselves, and the secretary, are alive to the fact that the turmoil and uncertainty into which the protracted controversy has plunged the department must be abated soon unless this important branch of the public service is to become hopelessly demoralized.

CRITICISMS HURT.

Nobody here doubts that a majority—all but one of the Republican members—of the investigating committee, will sustain Secretary Ballinger. But Secretary Ballinger and his partisans here were greatly disappointed that the absence of Senators Root and Flint from the Minneapolis meeting left the pro-Ballinger portion of the committee in the minority and permitted the Democrats and the insurgent Republican member to put forth reports condemning him. These reports for many weeks will stand before the country as the only findings of the committee; whereas he had relied on the majority for a vindication.

It is this failure of the committee to take final action, which, it is said, has determined Secretary Ballinger's course. It was said here today by a close friend of the secretary that had the majority of the committee been ready to report at the Minneapolis meeting he would then have tendered his resignation to the President and urged its acceptance on the ground that the dissensions to which he has been a party were detrimental to the public interest. When the committee failed at Minneapolis to take action as a whole, and when there was no quorum at the subsequent meeting in Chicago, it became apparent that no decision could be expected for several months.

POSITION UNTENABLE.

This situation is said to have convinced Ballinger that his position, in spite of the continued support of the President, has become untenable. Unable, as he sees it, to resign as either vindicated or condemned by the committee he has decided, it is said, to demand of his superior and his cabinet associates either vindication or condemnation.

Secretary Ballinger left his home in Seattle yesterday and will reach Washington several days in advance of the cabinet session. His purpose in thus expediting his return is believed to be to counsel with his immediate subordinates and to gain their assistance in preparing for his demand upon the cabinet for a "show down."

MIDDLE WEST TOWNS SHOW BIG INCREASE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The population of Covington, Ky., is 53,270, an increase of 10,232 or 24.1 per cent, as compared with 42,938 in 1900.

Kenton county, in Kentucky, in which Covington is located, has a population of 70,355 as compared with 63,591 in 1900.

The population of Waterloo, Iowa, is 26,692, an increase of 14,113, or 112.2 per cent as compared with 12,580 in 1900.

The population of Racine, Wis., is 38,002, an increase of 8,900 or 30.6 per cent, as compared with 29,102 in 1900.

The population of Wilkesbarre, Pa., is 67,705, an increase of 15,384, or 29.7 per cent, as compared with 51,721 in 1900.

CLAIM GAMBLING IN GOTHAM "PROTECTED" BY POLICE OFFICERS

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—That gambling is being run wide open throughout the city and under the "protection" of the police, is the information which Acting Mayor Mitchell is said to have obtained.

The raid last night on a gambling house on West Fifty-fourth street is said to have been made under direct instructions of Mr. Mitchell over the heads of certain police officials.

Several days ago Acting Mayor Mitchell is said to have handed a list of gambling places and the prices they paid for "protection" to Police Commissioner Baker. It is said the lists shows the gambling flourishes throughout the city as it did several years ago.

ROBBER KILLS CHINESE.

BISBEE, Ariz., Sept. 16.—A masked highwayman robbed two Chinese as they were taking their vegetables to market today, killing one and badly wounding the other. Posses are hunting the bandit.

NUPTIAL PACT HAS ODOR OF COMMERCE

Chanler-Cavalieri Agreement Settles Property and Alimony.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The prenuptial arrangement between Mme. Lina Cavalieri, the opera singer, and Robert Winthrop Chanler, the terms of which have been the subject of so many divergent reports, was filed in the registrar's office today by counsel for the singer.

The agreement was made on the last day of May of this year in Paris between Mr. Chanler and the singer, whose first name is given as Natalina, and states that whereas a marriage was about to be solemnized between the two and doubts might arise as to their mutual property rights, it was agreed that the property of each of them, both present and future, should remain the separate property and under the sole control of each.

The agreement then recites that in consideration of the said intended marriage, and for the sum of $1, Mr. Chanler gives to Mme. Cavalieri "all those three farms, known respectively as Cole farm and Chowell and Bena farms in Red Hook, N. Y., approximately 350 acres, and subject to a mortgage."

The agreement further provides that Mr. Chanler turns over to Mme. Cavalieri land and buildings in New York City, comprising in all thirty pieces, and concludes, "and all other realty forming part of the share of the above—name, Robert Winthrop Chanler of and in the estate of the late Mrs. Laura Delano, subject to a mortgage of $140,000."

The agreement provides further that Mr. Chanler agrees to pay the yearly sum of $20,000 to Mme. Cavalieri during her life, by four quarterly installments of $5000 each, the first of which shall be paid within thirty days of the marriage.

To secure the paying of $20,000 yearly, Mr. Chanler, in the agreement, gave his bride power to collect the amounts due, if otherwise unpaid by him, out of the money coming to him from the income of the Chanler estate trust fund; or if this money should prove insufficient, similar power was given her to collect the balance on the income he receives through the New York Life Insurance and Trust Company.

PREDICTS ADVANCE OF AMERICANISM IN EAST

Japanese Says Tang Shao Yi Favors Americanism in China.

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 16.—The Kokumin Shimbun of Tokio, in the course of a long article on the change of policy at Pekin, in recalling Tang Shao Yi and making overtures to Yuan Shih Kai to return, says the appointment foretells the great development of American influence in China in the future. The Kokumin says:

"It is out of the question to expect that the policy of Tang Shao Yi will be favorable to Japan. Moreover, he is a notorious pro-American statesman and his appointment foretells the great developments of American influence in China in the future. He represented China in America, and made many promises in America regarding Manchuria and railway questions. It will be interesting to watch the progress of these dear promises."

The Kokumin looks upon Tang Shao Yi as "one of the principal factors in diplomatic circles in the Far East" and considers him the enemy of Japan and the friend of America.

BOGOSLOF VOLCANO IS IN ERUPTION AGAIN

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 16.—A dispatch from Rome reports that the famous volcano Bogoslof in the Aleutian islands is again in eruption.

The codfishing schooner Veda, which arrived here from Bering sea last night, found the sea for scores of miles about Unimak island, where Mount Shishaldin has been in eruption for five months, covered with ashes and pumice.

While the fishing schooner W. H. Diamond was going through Unimak Pass, her spanker and rigging were set on fire by hot ashes. Sailors extinguished the fire.

ROOSEVELT SPENDS DAY IN GETTING LINE ON MEN OF STATE

Refuses to Discuss Outcome of Conferences With County Politicians.

GRISCOM RE-ELECTED

Committee Cheers for Taft, But Hoots Resolution Roasting Roosevelt.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—County politicians from all parts of New York state gathered today at Theodore Roosevelt's editorial offices to tell him where they stand in the fight now on within the Republican party. The colonel talked from morning till night with leaders on both sides, but as he was leaving at the end of the day the only statement he would make was that he had not a word to say.

Some brought back word that the colonel had been informed of dissatisfaction within his own ranks, but none of them were willing to go on record by name. George Cromwell, president of the Borough of Richmond and member of the Republican state committee, was the only one who did not hesitate to say where he stood.

"I'm going to vote against Roosevelt," he said. "I have taken that resolution after thinking it over carefully, and I hear nothing but condemnation from my people in Staten Island."

Mr. Cromwell's stand provoked comment, in that he has often spoken of his friendship for Colonel Roosevelt, dating back to their boyhood days, and that his statement was made today directly after a long conference with him.

Colonel Roosevelt is to leave at 7:45 o'clock tomorrow morning for Syracuse, where he will speak at the state fair tomorrow afternoon.

HOOT RESOLUTION.

After the New York county Republican convention had unanimously reelected Lloyd C. Griscom as its president tonight, Adam Gruber, an assembly district leader, who was finally gone on record against Colonel Roosevelt, offered the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the New York committee of New York disapprove as unjust and dangerous to the liberties of the people the utterances of ex-President Roosevelt in respect to the judges of the United States Supreme Court and the courts of appeals."

With a shout of disapproval the resolution was tabled and the meeting adjourned.

The committeemen cheered Griscom's declaration that it was the duty of the Republicans of New York county "to uphold the hand of that great man in the White House, the Hon. William H. Taft." They applauded again when Griscom asserted that New York county, casting practically one-third of the Republican vote of the state, could bring the state convention, "a force which can direct and contribute powerfully to the party in a way which will be helpful for the future."

John Hays Hammond, in a speech nominating Griscom for the presidency of the committee, declared the name of the old guard had been associated with the Alids scandal and the black horse cavalry.

BARNES ON ISSUE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—There was a sharp exchange today between Col. Roosevelt and William Barnes, Jr., Republican state committeeman and leader of the so-called "old guard." In a published statement Mr. Barnes said:

"No amount of political maneuvering, use of patronage or personal abuse can in the slightest degree obscure the one issue, which must be fought out to a finish at Saratoga. There will be determined the future of the Republican party in the state of New York for some years to come. That party must determine in its present form whether it will be recognized as the conserving force which has been its history, or whether it will follow the radical policies of Mr. Roosevelt and lose the strategic position which it has held in the state of New York for many years as the party of sanity and the protector of industry on which the world of business and labor must depend.

"If it does not hold to its time-honored and successful principles, but seeks for new gods to worship, its mistake will be taken advantage of by its adversary.

"No radical candidate has ever carried the state of New York. Progress in political life is essential to any party, but the state leadership which relies for its strength on inciting the mob can never, even if it tries, stem the tide which it has created.

"The Republican party in this state has never faced a crisis so fundamental to its existence as it must at this hour."

When Mr. Barnes' statement was shown to Col. Roosevelt, the latter dictated the following comment:

"I am indeed blessed in my enemies. I am very genuinely grateful to Mr. Barnes for having unconsciously made the issue so clear between what he is pleased to call Roosevelttism on the one side and on the other side the alliance of the boss with that element of big business which seeks to control politics in connection with business."

BICKEL IS GIVEN UP.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 16.—Karl H. Bickel, for whose arrest a warrant was issued recently by the authorities of Johnson county, Kansas, in connection with the death of Miss Frances Peters, was surrendered to the police today by his attorney. Bickel, who is a divinity student, was immediately turned over to an officer from Johnson county, who started for home with the prisoner.

"NOT TO RESIGN"—KNOX.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 16.—Secretary of State Knox has given New Haven a brief visit today. When asked if it were true that he was to resign his place in the cabinet he replied emphatically: "That is the nonsense."

HEAVY WEATHER KEEPS BACK DRILL AT SEA

Battle Practice of Atlantic Fleet Twice Delayed by the Winds.

U. S. S. KANSAS, at Sea on Southern Drill Grounds, by Wireless Via Portsmouth, Va., Sept. 16.—Father Neptune and the weather have been playing their parts in the annual fall battle practice of the Atlantic fleet with too much vim and as a consequence have somewhat disrupted the plans of Rear Admiral Seaton Schroeder, commander in chief of the fleet. The greatest difficulty is being experienced by the fifteen battleships in securing satisfactory weather for their allotted time at night target practice. Only five of the battleships have completed their work in that direction since they arrived on the southern drill grounds, thirty miles south of the Virginia capes on Tuesday.

Battle practice, which had been planned for last night, was again prevented as on Wednesday evening, by the heavy weather. An attempt was made at towing the target rafts in order that the big guns of the battleships might shoot at the moving objects, but it was abandoned owing to the rafts breaking adrift. In securing the drifting floats two men were washed overboard and it was only after great difficulty that they were rescued.

Admiral Schroeder's plans call for at least four more days of practice and this can be had only after the weather moderates. No day practice has yet been held. Continuation of heavy weather may, in that case, delay the fleet's visit to New York, where the men and officers anxiously are looking forward to shore liberty which they have earned.

ADMIRAL BERRY AND CHAPLAIN RETIRED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Rear Admiral Albert S. Berry, on duty at the Washington navy yard as a member of the naval examining and retiring boards, and Chaplain H. Tribou, on duty at the naval home, Philadelphia, were placed on the retired list today on account of age.

Admiral Berry is from Tennessee and entered the navy in July, 1865. He has had nearly twenty-two years of service at sea and has been a rear admiral since June, 1909.

Chaplain Tribou is the senior chaplain in the navy and has the rank of captain. He is from Maine and began his naval career in February, 1872. He has about twelve years' sea service and has been stationed at Philadelphia since November, 1885.

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PHILIPPINE TRADE INCREASES GREATLY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Trade between the United States and the Philippine Island increased 84 per cent during the year's operation of the new tariff law, according to the Department of Commerce and Labor. The new tariff law provides for free interchange for merchandise between these islands and the United States. The total imports from the islands in that year were $15,917,327, an increase of about 50 per cent over the preceding year. Total exports to the island were $17,517,675, an increase of about 70 per cent.

Chief among the exports were sugar, Manila hemp, cigars and cigarettes, copera and fibers. Sugar increased from one million dollars in 1909 to five millions in 1910. The principal exports to the islands were iron and steel manufactures, cotton cloths, flour, boots, shoes, explosives, meat and dairy products.

LABORER ARRESTED FOR THEFT OF RAW GOLD

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 16.—Joahn Tiberg, a Norwegian laborer, was arrested today charged with having stolen $14,345 from the sluice boxes of the Pioneer Mining Company of Nome. Tiberg worked for the company last summer and fell under suspicion, but when charged with having robbed the boxes, he answered questions with such frankness that the suspicion was allayed and he was reemployed. Tiberg arrived from Nome on the steamship Senator a few days ago.

Soon after his arrival, he sold to the United States assay office gold slugs valued at $14,435 and exchanged the check which he received for a $9,000 draft on a Portland bank and $5,350 cash.

In this city he took the name of Andrew Jansen. He was about to leave for San Francisco when arrested. He was unable to account for his possession of the gold, saying only that he had dug it out of a claim on the Iditarod. Tiberg had been shadowed since his arrival here. He will be extradited to Nome.

MINCE PIE AND BEANS DESTROYING YANKEES

DETROIT, Sept. 16.—Well cooked vegetables, rice and meat, in contrast to New England mincemeat and Boston baked beans have made the "graceful, self controlled Turk superior to the nervous, lank New Englander."

This was the contention laid down before the Mississippi Valley Medical Association yesterday by Dr. Fenton C. Turck of Chicago.

"Diet has more to do with the making of great men or the deteriorating of the human race to the level of the brute than anything else," declared Dr. Turck. "Compare that Armour plate mincemeat pie diet indulged in by all America with the two sane meals a day that are enabling Turkey to produce the finest specimens of physical manhood in the world. Mince pie and beans are bringing about race deterioration not alone in Connecticut and Maine."

NATIONAL GUARD MEET IMPORTANT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The national guard convention to be held in St. Louis beginning October 3 will be of more than ordinary interest and importance, in the opinion of War Department officials. It is the purpose to take up the question of legislation for the national guard and possibly measures will be adopted looking to co-operation with the War Department in matters pertaining to the regular army.

The general staff has shown its appreciation of this convention by detailing ten officers of high reputation in their respective branches of the service to attend the convention.

Major General Leonard Wood, chief of staff, will attend the convention, but does not expect to deliver an address.

LEPER'S CHILDREN MAY GO TO SCHOOL

LANSING, Mich., Sept. 16.—That the four daughters of John Jensen, a leper isolated at Calumet, Mich., would not be a menace to the school population and cannot be excluded from the public schools is the conclusion drawn by Attorney General Kuhn.

The attorney general in his opinion states that thorough examination has revealed no trace of the disease in the daughters, and they will not be a menace in the schools if they are disinfected, removed from their father and mother and kept away from them during the school term, with a monthly or bi-monthly examination to show that they are free from the malady.

CHILE WELCOMES ALCORTO.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Sept. 16.—The arrival today of President Figuroa Alcort Alcorto of Argentina and his party, to take part in the celebration of Chile's centennial of independence, was the occasion of a demonstration of welcome, in which government officials and thousands of the public shared. The guests were accompanied to the residence which they will occupy during their stay by a grand escort and in every way possible the friendly relations between Argentina and Chile were emphasized.

INSISTS ON U. S. PRECEDENCE.

TUCSON, Ariz., Sept. 16.—Threatening to tear down the Mexican flag from one of the local banks unless the American flag was hoisted above it, for decorations of the Mexican centennial celebration here, Charles Alzemora, an old-time soldier of Port Lowell, now living at Guayamas, Mex., insisted until the American flag was raised. The celebration then proceeded peaceably.

RUSSIAN DIPLOMAT DYING.

PARIS, Sept. 16.—M. Alexander Ivanovitch De Nelidoff, the Russian ambassador to France, is dying.

The diplomat was stricken with apoplexy while passing through Munich on August 8th. He was born in St. Petersburg in 1836 and at the age of 19 was appointed to a place in the foreign office. He served his country as ambassador successively at Constantinople, Rome and Paris, which last post he has held since 1903. He was president of the second Hague peace conference in 1907.

TRAIN KILLS MAYOR.

DOUGLAS, Ga., Sept. 16.—The Georgia and Florida passenger train from Valdosta collided with the automobile of T. S. Price in this city today, killing Mayor F. W. Sweat of Douglas and injuring Mr. Price.

THIRTEEN BALLOONS ENTERED FOR RACES

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 16.—Thirteen balloons, the largest number ever entered in a meeting, are at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway receiving their supply of gas, preparatory to the two races to start tomorrow.

Nine balloons were entered in the American championship race when the list closed and four were signed to start in the free-for-all contest. Entry lists in the latter race are still open and it is probable two more balloons will make the start.

Pilots entered in the two races are among the best and most experienced in the country and it is expected that records will be broken.

The pilots will carry provisions for a week, protection against rain and freezing weather and life preservers.

DEMOCRATS NOMINATED.

DENVER, Sept. 16.—Democrats of the First district today renominated A. W. Rucker, incumbent, for Congress. John A. Martin of Pueblo, incumbent was denominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Second congressional district.

CITIZENS MENACE BLACKS.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Sept. 16.—Three negroes are in jail here charged with having kidnaped and assaulted a white girl 16 years old. Much excitement prevails and officers are guarding the jail.

POWERS BEATS EDWARDS.

BARBOURVILLE, Ky., Sept. 16.—Complete returns from yesterday's Eleventh district congressional primary show that Caleb Powers defeated Representative D. C. Edwards for the Republican nomination by 11,100 votes.

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Mennen's Talcum Powder Only 9c Can

Genuine Mennen's Borated or Violet Talcum Powder, sold by druggists at 25c (our price 15c), on sale at 9¢ a can (one to a customer.)

Women's Waists at 25c!

Anniversary price only 25c for pretty lingerie waists, in several styles of all-over embroidery and finished with clusters of pin tucks....No old "has beens" in the lot, but every one right up to date in every detail....Actual 59c & 68c values at 25c

89c and 98c Waists 49c

A great variety of fine lingeries, with embroidery or lace finished fronts that were 89c & 98c, reduced to 49c. (A few of these are slightly mussed from handling.)

$2½ and $3 Waists $1

A large number of $2.50 and $3 waists, consisting of one and two of a kind in various styles, all high class waists, beautifully made, in one lot. Choice ....$1 each

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By far the largest and grandest millinery department in Fresno. Don't miss seeing it before deciding upon your new fall hat.

Extremely popular and fashionable TURBANS, tastefully draped with silk in all colors, for only 2.98

Rich velvet TURBANS.. These are made of Persian silk, handsomely trimmed with velvet and large ornamental buckle, price only 3.98

Children's new style felt hats, in assorted styles and colors, 1.25 to 3.75

36-In. Bleached Muslin 6c

Cotton goods are all at top-notch wholesale. This grade is worth 10c a yard. Special anniversary price 6c

7½c Blue Calico 5c yd.

Navy blues only, in small, neat patterns, worth regularly 7 1-2c for ....5c yd.

Bleached Tea-Toweling 4c

Twilled crash, fully bleached, 6c value. Anniversary price only ....4c yd.

28-In. Tennis Flannel 5c yd.

Nice quality, light colors, used for children's night gowns, pajamas, etc., worth 8 1-3c for 5c a yd.

Fancy Goods

Checked Wash Ribbons in white, light blue and pink—No. 1 and No. 1 1-2—5 yards to bolt. Special...... 8¢ bolt

White lawn Dutch Collars, trimmed with Venise lace and insertion, also embroidered effects with Val. lace trimming, regular 50c value. Special .... 25¢ each

New line of mounted back combs & barrettes—bar designs inlaid with gold & Rhinestone settings—also plain designs with settings. Special .... 50¢ each

Leather hand bags—in black & tan—moire lined, fitted with coin purse, double strap handles—another style with single strap handle & outside pocket ....1.35 each

75c Belts 25c

Silk elastic belts, in plain colors & Persian designs, assorted colors, fancy buckles. Special value for .... 25c each

Anniversary Sale In Our Suit Dept.

In addition to showing the largest and grandest assortment of all the new styles in tailored suits for women in this city, we present the following greatly underpriced specials, which shall be a source of profit to all who attend our Anniversary Sale.

Silk Taffeta Petticoats at 2.49 instead of 3.98, of splendid quality silk in all the new shades.

Tailored Suits for misses & small women at 16.50 instead of 19.75, of navy blue and black serge, coat 32 inches long, satin lined....Skirt is plaited and panel gored.

Covert Cloth Coats, 3.50 instead of $10 (last season's coats.)

$5 for long Broadcloth Coats, (misses' and small women's sizes) formerly priced at 12.50 and $15.

59c Short Kimonos, 39¢
12¢ for 25c Short Kimonos.

Only 98¢ for white and tan linene Skirts, formerly priced at 1.98 and 2.49.

Wash Dresses only 1.49, that were priced at 3.98 to 7.50

New Striped Broadcloth Suits, with semi-hobble skirts, in wine, hunter's green, navy and garnet, at 18.50 instead of $25.

Knitwear

Women's fleece lined Union Suits in white or cream; heavy weight, well finished; regular $1.00 grade ....79¢

Women's medium weight long sleeved vests, fine ribbed, tights to match; regular 50c grade ....29¢

Women's silk and lisle Swiss ribbed Imported Vests, hand finished, long sleeves, high neck, medium weight; regular 1.50 grade, special ....89¢

Women's fine lisle Vests, all sizes, well finished, plain only; regular 25c values ......19¢

Women's Summer Union Suits, umbrella knee, lace trimmed, well taped neck and arms; regular 50c value; special 29¢

Women's cotton gauze Vests, plain, taped neck and arms ....7¢

Women's Winter Gowns

Fancy striped flannelette, double yoke, turn over collar, size 16 & 17, at 49c

Petticoats

Fancy striped flannelette Petticoats with ruffled bottoms ....39¢

Striped and plain Flannelette Petticoats with scalloped ruffle, and silk finish, only 69¢

Hosiery

None but good dependable hosiery finds its way to our counters....You may buy freely of these "specials" with every assurance that they are splendid values, greatly underpriced.

Women's tan cotton hose with embroidered insteps, garter top, double soles, regular 25c. Special 17c

Women's black and tan gauze lisle hose, double heel and toe; regular 12 1-2c. Special 9c

Children's tan and black fine ribbed school hose, double heel and toe, very elastic; special ....17¢

Children's heavy ribbed school hose, in black only, double soles; special ....12 1-2¢

Infants' Wear

Everything for baby to wear in this most complete of all infants' wear departments.

Infants' Sweater Coats, fancy stitch, turned down collar, white pearl buttons, white with blue, white with pink, and cardinal; prices.... 1.75 to $3

Infants' and children's Toques or stocking caps, cardigan stitch, double knit in cardinal with white, plain gray, blue and white, 35¢ to 75¢

In Our Men's Department

Men's Outing Flannel Night Gowns, extra well made, cut long and full; regular 1.00 values ....69¢

Men's heavy weight cotton hose, black and tan, all sizes, worth 25c, at 2 pair for 25¢ — also black with white feet, 2 pairs 25¢

Men's Ribbed Underwear for fall. Shirts and drawers; blue or gray, special at .... 45¢ the garment

Men's and boys' 1.00 and 1.50 Felt Hats, today at ....75¢ each

Men's Shirts, coat style, cuffs attached, plaited and soft bosoms, 1.25 values ....98¢

In Our Silk Department

98c Black Chiffon Taffeta, 59¢ Yard.
One yard wide, soft, natural finish, splendid black; used for linings, drop skirts and full dresses, regular 98c quality. Special ....59¢ yd.

$1.25 Black Peau De Soie, 98¢
One yard wide, soft, pliable quality, rich black, guaranteed to wear well, makes a rich looking skirt or dress, also used for capes and coats, regular $1.25 quality. Special...... 98¢ yd.

75c Plain Panama Suitings 58c
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$1.25 Black Sicilian 98c
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TULARE RANCHER KILLED BY ELECTRIC SHOCK OF 10,000 VOLTS

Supposition Is Wet Weather Had Short Circuited the Current.

Board of Education Declares a Holiday to Welcome the Circus.

VISALIA, Sept. 16.—Milton Montgomery Barton, known to many friends as "Monte" Barton, was instantly killed at 8 o'clock this morning at his ranch in the Elderwood tract, twenty miles northeast of this city, when his hand came in contact with a live wire and 10,000 volts were shot through his body. He was thrown from a small platform on which he was standing and life was extinct when persons who had witnessed the accident went to his side.

Mr. Montgomery was attempting to draw the fuses at his transformer. One plug had been pulled and when he reached for the other he sustained the shock that caused death. A peculiar fact is that the switch is said to have been opened and the usual precautions taken. It is thought that another connection, due to the wet weather, was made, short circuiting the current.

The deceased, who was 45 years of age, had purchased a ranch at Elderwood last spring and set out an orange grove. Previous to removing there he had resided near Three Rivers. He leaves widow and three children, also parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Barton, residing at Three Rivers, besides seven brothers and sisters, namely, H. D. Barton of Auckland, Enos and Jason Barton of Three Rivers, Orlando Barton of Visalia, Mrs. J. H. Butts of Hanford, Mrs. J. B. Weathers of this city and Mrs. R. C. Hardin of near Klink.

The remains were brought to this city this evening. No arrangements for the funeral have been made.

The board of education declared a holiday today on account of it being circus day. A large crowd from all parts of the county was here to attend the Barnum & Bailey exhibition.

Miss Katherine Barnes of near San Francisco and Miss Charlotte Morrison of Oakland, who have been guests at the Squire residence and were at the Maddox-Squire nuptials, have returned to their homes near the bay.

Miss Kate Hinds, formerly of this city but who for some time has been making her home in Siskiyou county, has returned to reside here.

The Price Pump Company will move its equipment to San Francisco. The company has had an office and shop here for years.

DE LONGPRE BETTER.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 16.—The condition of Paul De Longpre, the flower painter, who is at the California hospital following a mastoid operation, is reported improving.

TAFT TO YALE MONDAY.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 16.—President Taft will attend the meeting of the Yale University corporation here Monday. It is here that the President's stay will be limited to the hours of the meeting.

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RAINFALL IN MADERA DOES SLIGHT DAMAGE

Sun and Breeze Counteract Effect of Inopportune Downpour.

MADERA, Sept. 16.—The rainfall for the present storm to date amounted to .59 inches. Some damage has been done to the raisin crop, but as the sun is holding away again and there is a good breeze, the damage will not be as great as was feared.

L. D. Stockton, who went to British Columbia and Canada for an Oakland real estate syndicate, has returned to Madera. He says his observations have led him to believe that there is no place like California for the home seeker.

A big crowd of local people who attended the circus in Fresno yesterday returned last night on the special.

Rev. J. W. Dorrence, a former pastor of the Presbyterian church, who has been visiting here, left this morning for his home in Corcoran.

Porter C. Thede, assistant manager of the Sugar Pine Company, left for San Francisco last night on business connected with the company.

Mrs. W. Vogeler came here last night from Taft to spend a few weeks visiting relatives.

Dr. Hinker returned last night from San Francisco, bringing with him his mother and sister, who arrived from Lincoln, Neb., a few days ago.

Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Ransom and child have returned from a stay in San Francisco.

Mrs. P. Pelle, Mrs. J. C. Haring and Mrs. R. Merino have returned from a visit of a week in San Francisco.

Mrs. W. O'Hare and children returned from a visit to San Francisco.

Mrs. Phil Kelly, wife of the baseball player, arrived here this morning from Tulare.

COALINGA SCHOOLS TO OPEN MONDAY

COALINGA, Sept. 16.—The city grammar school will open on Monday, but as the new building is not ready for occupancy the classes will be held in the old building on Polk street at the head of South Fifth. The trustees have announced that all classes, with the exception of the receiving and first grade pupils who reside on the north side of the railroad track, will attend at the old building. That the lives of the little ones attending from the north side of the track may not be endangered arrangements have been made to hold the classes in the Z. L. Phelps building. The children will have less walking to do to attend school and encounter no risk of being hurt in the crossing of the railroad tracks.

BEWARE THE JELLYFISH.

Jellyfish, which usually stay out in the deep waters of the Long Island Sound during the summer months, have been disintegrated by the easterly winds, and the appearance of their poisonous fragments has scared some of the bathers along the beaches. On Labor Day several swimmers in the upper East River and the sound got stung upon the arms and legs, and as a result they went about three or four days with swollen limbs.

Dr. R. C. Osburn, of the New York Aquarium, explained yesterday what the jellyfish is doing to the bathers.

"The jellyfish can give you a good sting with its poison, although it may be several feet away," he said. "You are aware only of a feeling in your leg or arm as if you were getting an electric shock.

"The jellyfish possesses what we call a 'trigger,' from which it sends a little tape-like streamer. When the end of this tape strikes an object it injects a poisonous fluid. It goes right on stinging every object that comes its way. The sting cannot be given through a bathing suit."

The reporter explained to the doctor that he had often picked up a jellyfish and that no bad results occurred.

"Well, that was a fragment which had long been separated from the main portion and had decomposed," said the aquarium man. "The poison isn't seriously harmful, anyway. The jellyfish are already beginning to die. Like flowers, they flourish in the summer and die in the fall. The jellyfish around here come up from the Gulf of Mexico.—From the New York Sun.

A Mother's Love

wisely directed, will cause her to give to her little ones only the most wholesome and beneficial remedies and only when actually needed, and the well-informed mother uses only the pleasant and gentle laxative remedy—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—when a laxative is required, as it is wholly free from all objectionable substances. To get its beneficial effects always buy the genuine, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

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COOKERY CLASSES OPEN TO ALL WHO CARE TO ATTEND

Porterville Ten-Year-Old Is Caught in Thirteenth Burglary.

Chamber of Commerce Decides to Regulate Expenses of Fund.

PORTERVILLE, Sept. 16.—Husbands whose digestions have been strained to the point of rulination and young love-lorn lads who were looking forward to a married life seasoned with the pangs of dyspepsia, may take heart since it is announced that the domestic science and cookery classes of the Porterville high school will be opened to all who care to attend. Arrangements are being made to devote one hour on Saturday morning to what may be called graduate students and open to the elders who have completed their school work, as well as to young matrons whose culinary education was neglected. The domestic science classes have proven so popular that plans are being devised for further equipment. There have been applicants for places in the advanced classes and there is little question but that for all that apply there will be the stoves and other necessary implements of the kitchen.

At the home of Rev. and Mrs. Madison Slaughter on the Scenic Drive last night, there was celebrated the anniversary of the founding of the First Baptist church, there being present about 150 members of the congregation. Short talks were made by Rev. M. Slaughter, who has been the pastor for six years; by H. C. Carr, president of the board of deacons of the church; M. M. Munger, formerly the pastor of the church, and Rev. A. Paulson, who is the pastor of the Baptist church of Ducor. Following the formal program, dinner was served. In addition to being an anniversary gathering, it was also a house warming party, Rev. and Mrs. Slaughter's beautiful home on the Drive having been very recently completed.

Merle Nause, who achieved a fleeting fame last month by a confession to the police that although only 10 years of age he had no less than a dozen burglaries to his credit, is on the way to Whittier, where he is destined to remain until of legal age.

When Nause was taken before the Superior Court on September 5th, he was placed upon probation, in view of his extreme youth, and upon the condition that his conduct be exemplary and that he report to Officer Eardley every week. Yesterday during the absence of the family, Nause again felt from grace and entered the home of Henry Fielding, a resident of the southside. He cut a hole in the screen door in a business-like manner and then picked the lock and rummaged the various rooms. The articles taken were of trifling value.

Nause is a puzzle to the local officers and would make an interesting study for a criminologist. He appears to be absolutely unmoral and displays no remorse for his misdeeds, other than to regret that he was so clumsy as to be caught in the first instance.

J. F. Canty, V. D. Knupp, E. L. Scott, H. F. Brey and H. C. Carr have been appointed by President Preme of the Chamber of Commerce as a committee to have in charge the spending of what is known as the "special booster fund" of the commercial organization. At the first of the fiscal year of the chamber, it was decided that all individual appropriations for outside advertising be placed in the hands of the chamber for expenditure, and estimates were made by firms and individuals of the amount spent annually for such purposes. Then approximately such a sum was paid into the treasury of the chamber. This includes money spent for "special editions" and "write-ups" and similar publicity. Thus far the chamber has raised about $4,000 for the fund and the committee named will use the money in the channels believed to bring in the best returns.

Assemblyman Cogswell, a well known Southern politician, has purchased a forty acre tract of land in the Strathmore section and is making preparations to plant it out to oranges, lemons and grape fruit. Strathmore land has shown a remarkable rise in price in the past few months and land which could have been bought for $80 per acre early in the year is being held at and sold for from $175 to $200.

Grammar school athletics received their first attention at a mass meeting of the students held in the Norton school last evening. Ross Gardner was chosen as the captain of the boys' basketball team and Miss Hester Abbey for the girls' team. Superintendent Charles E. Bigham will act as manager and coach of the organizations. Last season the girls' team was especially successful and played for the entire year without a defeat. This is an especially good record since several of the games were played with high school teams.

F. S. Tarr has been appointed deputy secretary of the Tulare County Humane Society with permanent quarters at Globe. Many complaints have been made of the treatment of animals used in heavy hauling to the mountains and as all teams pass through Globe, the resident secretary will have the opportunity of personally investigating these reports.

Change of venue has been asked for in the suit for $6,000 damages by the National Development Company against the G. W. Price Pump Company of San Francisco. In the complaint it is alleged that defendant installed a pump which was defective and which by reason of its unsatisfactory working was the cause of much damage to the orchards. Defendants claim that suit should have been brought against them in San Francisco, which is their principal place of business. Judge Wallace has the question under advisement.

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RESIGNS FROM BOARD FOR HARMONY'S SAKE

H. R. McGee Says Motives as School Trustee Are Misunderstood.

DINUBA, Sept. 16.—After having served as clerk of the board of school trustees for a number of years, H. R. McGee the well known resident of Orosi, has sent in his resignation as a member of the board to County Superintendent C. J. Walker. Mr. McGee gives as his reason for his action, in an open letter, that "My motives have been misunderstood in so many things I have attempted to do, that my presence as a trustee stands in the way of that harmony in the district which is absolutely necessary to its best work." McGee has been a large factor in the work of the Orosi schools for a long time and his action has caused no little surprise.

Biswell Brothers of Orosi have purchased the Alta garage in this city from W. E. Gable, giving in the trade a sixty acre tract of land near Orosi. Mr. Gable will now move to the ranch while the Biswells have already taken possession of the garage and machine shops.

The Dinuba Farmers' Union Packing company has completed a large raisin drier at its packing house, which promises to prove a great thing for the growers here this season, especially owing to the recent rains. The drier has a capacity of forty tons daily, and raisins put into the machine are dried in six hours. The raisins are subjected to steam heat and two large blowers are applied to the heated air and keep it circulating through the trays of raisins, much on the same plan as a laundry drier. The farmers can bring in their half dried raisins from the field in ordinary picking boxes and after the grapes are spread on the trays in the wet condition at the packing house they can be dried and boxed in a few hours, it requiring only three men to keep the plant in operation.

The rain here for the storm amounted to .50 of an inch, and everything has been thoroughly wet. If the weather turns off clear, however, there will be but little damage result to the thousands of trays of raisins still out.

A. M. Lumley of Porterville, candidate for the assembly against G. W. Willis of this city, has been here for several days "doing" politics.

The Orosi dancing club has arranged for a social dance to be given at Soltana hall on September 23. This is the first of a series of dances to be given by the club this winter.

PEANUT GETS INTO SOCIETY.

Newport Finds New Cure for Epidemic of Nervous Breakdowns.

The peanut, long associated with the politician in terms of ridicule and opprobrium, has gone into society. Some time ago, society, in a half-hearted manner, embraced politics. Several of the Newport set have held office. Some in other parts of the Eastern States have had large tin badges pinned upon them and said, "I care not who make the laws of the nation if they will only call me sheriff."

Society women have hugged the cause of equal suffrage, and have gone forth to battle with the suffragettes. Now the peanut is to come into its own.

Newport, that has been jaded, and whose stomach—using the word collectively—has been overworked with terrapin, lobster, champagne, and a lot of things the average sane person would not eat, has fallen for the peanut. Newport's peanuts, however, must be well done.

When the recent epidemic of nervous breakdowns, due to nervous indigestion, dyspepsia, late hours, and overfeeding generally came along, some physician, wise in his generation, dug up that good old back-to-the-farm remedy, charcoal.

Society, however, could not stand charcoal, so the half charcoal of the peanut that had been roasted to a crisp dark coffee color was prescribed as a substitute. Somebody with a name parted in the middle carried a bag of the aromatic goobers into high society, and the stories told of the cures effected soon made the peanut as popular as the monkey dinner.

The venders of the fresh roasted product, used to being sworn at when the nuts were burnt to cinders, failed to understand just why society had to have them that way, but taking as their motto, "We strive to please," met the demand for the incinerated goobers. They even raised the price, on the ground it took more fire to roast them, while they worked off the stock that was unsalable.

In the theater there has been the crack, crack of peanuts, and it did not come from the gallery. The custom probably will come from Newport when the season is over, and at the opera this season the songs of the artists may be punctuated by the cracking of the peanuts in the boxes. In their excitement some of the box holders may shout "Heavens!" and hurl a bag of them at some star.

There is a fear that Fifth avenue may be littered with the shell, as the owners of autos speed along, feasting on the ground nut and tossing the shells away. In time, it may become known as the peanut-shell road, to distinguish it from other shell roads.—From the New York American.

THE KING'S TAILORS.

King Alfonso, who has gone back to Spain, is one of the best dressed monarches of the day and this, not only because his physical conformation lends itself more readily to the art of the cutter and the tailor than is the case with some of his brother monarches, and because he has his clothes made in London, but also because he has acquired the art of putting them on and of avoiding ultra-decorative solecisms. And yet Madrid is not happy because Madrid does not dress him, so there has been a little difficulty. This, however, has been arranged. The English cutter, imported ad hoc, is still to cut his majesty's garments and the Madrid tailor is to tailor them.

This recalls the case of the third Napoleon, whose tailor was the great Dusantoy. That artist never quite succeeded sartorially in dealing successfully with the trying nether limbs of his imperial client, whose predilection for a brownish yellow color in trousers, perhaps, added to the difficulty. But, on one of his visits to this country the emperor had an English tape put over him, and the results were so satisfactory that that cutter was engaged by Dusantoy, and thereafter it was remarked, the imperial legs ceased to look as though they did not belong to their owner.—Pall Mall Gazette.

MATE LOST OVERBOARD.

ALGIERS, Sept. 16.—Second Officer Funnell of the steamer Swazi was swept overboard and lost during a fierce gale on September 4th. The Swazi, in command of Captain Abbey, sailed from New York on August 31st for Marseilles and other ports.

CONVENTION AT SELMA ORGANIZES A COUNTY Y. M. C. A.

C. Gaines of Fresno Chosen President of the New Society.

Not a Neighboring Town Was Not Represented in the Assemblage.

SELMA, Sept. 16.—The opening day of the County Y. M. C. A. convention was largely attended as well by those who are interested in promoting a county Y. M. C. A., as those who came to learn of the work and hear it explained. Delegates attended from all surrounding towns, not one being without representation.

Convention organization was effected by the election of the following officers: C. Gaines of Fresno, president; P. J. Price, Sanger, first vice president; D. C. Kribbill, Fowler, second vice president; E. F. Huggins, Coalinga, secretary; H. S. Wickliff, Selma, assistant secretary; J. W. Hudson, Selma, treasurer.

Committees were appointed as follows to nominate county officers: E. M. Kimberlin, Kingsburg; P. J. Pierce, Sanger; W. T. Crawford, Fowler; A. C. Lyman, Reedley; E. Self, Del Rey; J. W. Hudson, Selma.

Committee on resolution: D. C. Kribbel, R. O. Jolly, E. C. Laughlin.

Religious worship: H. S. Wickliff, O. E. Dillon, D. S. Burdick, S. W. Douglass, D. Stewart.

The regular program was carried out except as necessitated by the absence of W. H. Wallace, who was scheduled to speak on the relation of county work to religious, educational and social life in rural communities. In his stead, Rev. Charles H. Scott of Pasadena handled this subject in an interesting manner.

The convention delegates were generously served at the lunch and dinner hours by the Selma church ladies.

The following is the program as arranged for Saturday:

Forenoon session, First Methodist church:

9:00—Devotions.

9:30—The Bible hour, "The Place of Prayer," Rev. J. W. Conley.

10:30—County work, in its relation to the development of leadership in state and county supervision, J. E. Springer. Discussion.

11:30—Business session: W. H. Wallace, chairman.

12:30—Luncheon.

Afternoon session:

2:30 Devotions.

2:45—Bible hour, "The Endowment of Power for Service."

3:30—County work in its relation to athletics and play life, J. P. Hagerman. Discussion.

Evening session:

7:30—Song service led by L. Ward Malley.

8:00 "Reminiscences," T. J. Wilkie.

8:30—Summer camp, stereopticon, S. Warren Douglas.

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Our $5, $7.50, $10 Hats Best We Ever Offered

We invite you to come and see the best looking hats we ever offered for these prices. They have the style and look of much higher priced hats and are up to date in style in every way. They are smart tailored hats as well as dress hats.

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REGISTER!

Voters who did not register for the primaries should be reminded that the registration office is now open, and will remain open until the close of registration, September 28. In order to vote at the election, November 8, it is necessary to be registered by September 28. All voters who have not registered since January 1 of this year should therefore go at once to the county clerk's office, and qualify themselves to vote.

BOYCOTT OFF

One can't help loving President Taft even in his blunders. His faithfulness to Ballinger is one of the finest examples of personal loyalty ever known. And his too-belated withdrawal of the boycott on La Follette, Cummins, Bristow, and other leading Insurgents, is in keeping with the engaging frankness of the most open-hearted man and the poorest politician in America. Other presidents—most presidents, in fact—have used the withdrawal of patronage as a club to compel congressmen to vote as they instructed, and probably most of these presidents have learned the same lesson President Taft did, that "the refusal to grant patronage has probably been more useful to the men affected than the appointments would have been." But no president ever acknowledged it in such frank fashion before.

President Taft welcomes the Insurgents back to the pie counter, and now the president awaits the results of the fall elections, to determine "whether the differences of the last session shall be perpetuated or shall be forgotten."

Again the worst politician in the world! Every observer with half a political eye knows that the "differences" of that session will be neither "perpetuated" nor "forgotten." They will cease to be "differences," and therefore, as differences, will not be "perpetuated." The movement that made the differences will continue, and will therefore not be "forgotten." But everybody will finally join with it, and it will be, as it now is in most states, the regular Republican party. For that matter, the "differences of the last session," in the narrow and literal sense, are already forgotten. They never did amount to much, anyway, except that they happened to serve as the crystallizing point of a great public movement already solvent in the nation. The blindness of the Washington view is in assuming that those "differences" were the whole thing. Their importance was purely adventitious. But the movement which crystallized around them is quite the biggest thing in America, and it is not going to stop nor redissolve, until it includes at least the whole Republican party, and probably also the absorbable part of the Democratic party.

President Taft showed fine courage and splendid constructive statesmanship in the legislation which he put through the last Congress. No American president ever accomplished so much in so short a time. He shows a fine, lovable personality in all his dealings, even the foolish ones. But he is no politician, and obviously has no sense of political currents and undercurrents.

HE STANDS PAT

Quite the most startling proclamation of the stand-pat doctrine we have seen is the reply by Senator Cartwright to Mr. Drew's assertion that he absented himself from voting on the capital removal bill, when the Herrin machine was putting it through the legislature. We are not quarreling with the stand-pat doctrine per se. It has much to commend it, as Senator Cartwright plausibly shows. But it is not a popular doctrine, these days, and it is the last doctrine in the world we expected to see Senator Cartwright take, as the basis of his great "Insurgent Democratic" campaign.

But there is no telling what will happen, in a political campaign, and here is Senator Cartwright, "Insurgent Democrat," actually proclaiming himself a stand-patter, not once, but consistently and systematically, through a whole session. He did not vote on the capital removal bill—to be sure he didn't. He wasn't "making enemies," just then. Fresno county had some important matters before that legislature, and so Senator Cartwright "stood pat," and avoided opposing the things the machine wanted. It might lose Fresno some machine votes. So he just slipped out, when the roll was called, and forgot to vote. Meantime Mr. Drew was in the assembly, "making enemies," because he would not stand pat, but valiantly fought the machine and its bills, from start to finish. Therefore, all ye insurgents, who rejoice in the overthrow of the stand patters, vote for Cartwright, who boasts that he stood pat, and against Drew, who risked some temporary popularity for the victory (now accomplished) of the larger movement.

Also, know ye, Mr. Drew is seventeen kinds of a liar. For did not he refer to page and date, to show that Mr. Cartwright was absent on the vote, when the cinch bill came up which the Herrin machine was forcing to punish Sacramento. And, turning to the page and date, we find that Senator Cartwright did so absent himself, but it is nowhere officially certified that the Herrin machine was behind the capital removal bill. The historic fact is undenied and undeniable, but the official certification is lacking. Wherefore Mr. Cartwright explains that he believes in the referendum and therefore declined to vote for it. It is all as plain as two and four is seven. Indeed it reminds us of the historic declaration of Senator Perkins (who also stands pat) that the Board of Directors of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company (a corporation) had never by formal resolution requested him to make any appointment nor to vote for any bill.

We congratulate Senator Cartwright on his newly-proclaimed role of standpatter. It is a role which has many advantages, some of which we shall expect to see the senator elucidate further, in the course of the campaign. Still, we confess to a little bewilderment.

And we can not refrain from adding that the course of Assemblymen Drew and Chandler in resisting the pressure brought to bear on them to vote for the capital removal bill was one of the finest examples of courage shown in the whole legislative session of 1907, and was universally acclaimed as such at the time. Shall we hold it against them now, in this new era when such things are common, though we praised them for it then, in the days when the courage not to stand pat was rarer?

AN AIRSHIP RISK

Another Zeppelin airship has gone to wreck, through the usual agency of fire. And it is much to be feared that this one risk can never be overcome nor greatly minimized. For the greater part of the bulk of a dirigible airship consists of the most inflammable and diffusible substance on earth—hydrogen gas. Hydrogen is so inflammable that the slightest spark will set it off, and so diffusible that no membrane will completely retain it. It is a crime, in an ordinary balloon, to light a match, or even so much as to possess one. Yet a dirigible airship is nothing but a rigid balloon, carrying two or more gas engines which set off explosive sparks several times a second. If everything goes right, these sparks do not come in contact with any gas from the big balloon. If anything goes wrong, and a single spark touches a single whiff of gas whose flame can in any way touch the main reservoir, the whole thing goes up like a soap-bubble, and there is nothing left but wreckage. It is a danger which no gas-bag can escape, but which would be risked in no other sort of structure. If, for instance, some one should discover a way of compressing gunpowder into the strongest and lightest structural material in existence, no one would think of building houses or automobiles, or still less aeroplanes out of it. Yet dirigible airships must be composed almost entirely of a substance many times more inflammable, and, when mixed with air, many times more explosive than gunpowder. It is a permanent and perhaps an irremediable risk.

LET'S QUIT

"All sincere Republicans must take warning that if they do not stop fighting each other. What Maine has done all other supposed safely Republican states will do."—San Francisco Chronicle.

By all means. Let's take the warning and heed it. Let's "stop fighting each other." Let's all accept the voice of the party, and get in harmoniously behind the ticket. That is the way to win, and the Chronicle has told us a thousand times that winning is the main thing.

But stay! Who's fighting? Who needs this warning? Who is opposing the regularly nominated Republican ticket and the regular organization of the Republican party in California?

Chiefly the Chronicle, and such few "regulars" as it may be able to influence. The only disharmony is from the preachers of harmony; the only irregularity is from the proponents of regularism; the only threat of secession comes from the unionists. 'Tis a topsy-turvy world, and the topsy-turviest thing in it is the reasoning of some professed political thinkers.

JACKIE IS COMMENDED FOR ACT OF BRAVERY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Coolness, courage and strong nerve were exhibited by Emil Falk, a gunner's mate on the battleship Iowa, September 1, when, in the effort to save the life of a shipmate, James E. Stanley, he plunged overboard between the steel hull of the battleship and a lighter alongside from which she was coaling.

The Iowa was lying of Annapolis, Md., at the time and Stanley, falling from the forecastle of the ship, was stunned by striking the lighter, and slipping between the two vessels, was drowned.

Falk dived several times to see if the body could have come up under the lighter. This act, according to the acting head of the navy department, was fraught with the greatest danger, due not only to the probability of being crushed between the hulls but of being caught underneath the lighter and drowned.

In acknowledgment of his bravery, the navy department has officially commended in the highest terms the conduct of Falk, who is a resident of Milltown, N. J.

JUMPS OFF TRAIN; DYING.

MOBERLY, Mo., Sept. 16.—John Maher of Minneapolis, Minn., is dying here as the result of jumping from a Wabash train near Salisbury, Mo., yesterday. Maher was found in a haystack near Moberly today, having crawled there for refuge after jumping from the train.

VIGILANTE DROPS DEAD.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—H. J. Cove, a pioneer of this state and a member of the vigilant committee of 1856, dropped dead today on the street.

WILLIAM TO VISIT RUSSIA.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 16.—The Bourse Gazette announced today that Emperor William of Germany will visit St. Petersburg in November.

ACTUAL GUNPOWDER BURNED BY TROOPS

Mimic Warfare at Atascadero Brings Forth Praise for Strategists.

CAMP ATASCADERO, Sept. 16.—The arrival of the Arizona National Guard late tonight and the first active field operations by the regulars, marked the second day of the army maneuvers at Atascadero. The territorial forces of Arizona, the first of the militia to join the regulars in the biennial war-play, under command of Colonel Tuthill O. Morencl, pulled into Atascadero station tonight. Colonel F. Von Shrader, quartermaster general, and Lieutenant Widdefield, assistant quartermaster, had a long wagon train lined up at the station to transport the Arizona troops immediately to the camp, a mile and a half distant. Owing to the lateness of the hour, Colonel Morencl decided that the militia would remain aboard the tourist sleepers for the night and march to camp at Atascadero early tomorrow morning.

For the first time since the maneuvers began, field operations, which had a tinge of realism, were engaged in. In the southern part of the 22,000 acre ranch leaced by the government came the rattle of machine guns and irregular rifle fire marking a sharp rear and advance guard engagement.

A light fog hung over the hills and valley as the troops moved out of camp early in the morning to take the positions designated in the problems handed them on the route.

BATTALION PROBLEMS.

The problems given for battalion commands: A battalion of the thirtieth infantry under Major Leon Rudiez and supported by a machine gun platoon commanded by Lieutenant General Carleton, attacked a position held by a battalion of the thirtieth commanded by Major J. P. O'Neill, an officer who saw much service in the Indian wars.

The irregular firing of the outposts as they came in touch with each other soon developed into a spirited engagement under the low live oak trees that dotted the hillsides and became livelier when the machine guns opened up. A similar action was in progress in another part of the reservation, between battalions of the eighth infantry under Major W. K. Wright and Captains Norman and Reed, the latter acting as majors.

Major W. M. Wright, chief of staff, Captain Bjornstead, assistant chief of staff, Colonel Charles St. J. Chubb of the thirtieth and Colonel Mason of the eighth infantry observed the operations through field glasses. The blank ammunition was soon exhausted and the officers of the two sides gathered with the umpires and discussed the problems worked out and the results obtained, Major Wright, chief of staff, stating that he was highly pleased with the manner in which the officers acquitted themselves in handling their commands and in taking offensive and defensive positions.

CAVALRY AND ARTILLERY.

While the infantry was engaged to the south of the camp, the blare of trumpets came from beyond the hills in another direction, where the cavalry under Major Gaston as chief umpire was engaged in cavalry actions by squadron. At the same time, batteries of three inch field guns moved across the wide field to the west of the camp at full gallop, wheeled sharply, unlimbered and a few seconds later were again in a cloud of dust.

Marking routes, reconnaissance and the security of the battalion on march, were the problems worked out by the artillery.

At 1 o'clock, the recall was sounded and all troops returned to camp.

In the work and rigorous discipline of camp life, social features are not neglected. The officers of the thirtieth infantry have established a splendidly appointed club in a large tent especially made for the purpose, while for the enlisted men, the army and navy, Young Men's Christian Association has established a branch in camp and put up a tent with a seating capacity of several hundred, where interesting lectures and concerts will be given.

MUST KEEP SON UP TO WEIGHT OR BE JAILED

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 16.—If Mrs. Julia Knesbeck of this city allows the weight of her son, Edward, 19 years old, to fall below 150 pounds, she will be arrested on a charge of neglect, Police Judge Levin ruled today. Mrs. Knesbeck had the boy arrested on a vagrancy charge two months ago. When brought into court he was emaciated and weighed only 120 pounds. Witnesses testified that the mother had starved him and the judge, dismissing the case, gave the boy into a friend's care.

He gradually gained until he tipped the scales at 154 pounds. The judge then returned the boy to his mother with a warning to give him plenty of food, although she protested that she did not want him.

SHOUT ANNEXATION NEWS TO DEAD ITO

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 16.—"Make a report in the treaty of annexation to Korea to the spirit of the late Prince, your father." This was the unique telegram sent by Viscount Terauchi, governor general of Korea, to Prince Ito's son, following the publication of proclamations of annexation according to advices received by the steamer Tamba Maru today. A special envoy was sent by the Japanese emperor to the grave of the late Prince in order to announce the amalgamation. Imperial messengers were also sent to announce the fact at the shrines of Ise and at the tombs of the founder of the Japanese dynasty and of the reigning emperor's father.

The farewell proclamation of the Korean emperor was a pathetic document. It ended with the statement: "Do you think we have abandoned you. Our desire was but to relieve your straightened conditions, to secure the peace of the Orient and the welfare of the people of Korea who are verging on starvation."

T. B. EXPERTS TO MEET IN ROME.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Official announcement that the seventh international congress on tuberculosis will be held in Rome, September 24 to 30, 1911, was made today from the headquarters of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. It is expected an American committee of 100 will be appointed as the official body representing the United States.

DALLAS HAS 92,650.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The population of Dallas is 92,650.

BRIEF EDITORIAL FANCIES SELECTED

Political Plagiarism

When a man plagiarizes a book or a play he can be sued, and, if a case be made out, can be compelled to pay damages to the person whose idea or ideas he has stolen. The copyright laws on this subject are strict and concise.

In the modern game of politics, however, one man discovers a principle or formulates a policy of dealing with a momentous subject, and a few days later another man comes along, expounds the same principle or policy, and labels it as his own, without giving credit to its originator.

While we are legislating on every subject under the sun, let us have a law to prevent plagiarism in politics.—Washington Post.

Gambling in Crops

The danger of permitting gambling in the necessaries of life is being given forcible illustration by the cotton brokers in forcing the price of that staple to 20 cents. The producers will derive no permanent benefit from this artificial price, and even if they did the consumers who must bear all such burdens have the right to some consideration. Anything which tends to break down the purchasing power of the people who use a product cannot long benefit the men who produce it. Then there is the reaction which is sure to follow, sooner or later, and here again the loss must ultimately be made good by the great body of the common people. While gambling in cotton lacks some of the bad features attached to similar operations in the food products, it is all evil and should not be permitted.—Long Beach Press.

Johnson to Win

This paper has no sympathy with the quiet effort now being made by some "regular" Republicans in the state to place a "regular" Republican as an independent candidate for governor on the ticket in opposition to Bell and Johnson.

It is poor politics.

Hiram Johnson went into the political game in competition with the shrewdest politicians in the state. He defeated them and won the Republican nomination by a decisive plurality.

He is a brainy man.

He was nominated by the votes of Republicans, he is considered the Republican nominee, and as governor he will be morally bound to carry out Republican ideals.

The people like his issue.

He is bound to be elected.

He will make a good governor.

Help him win.—Escondedo Advance (regular).

Haskell-Roosevelt

Governor Haskell of Oklahoma, to whom Colonel Roosevelt referred unpleasantly in a recent speech, is offended and announces his intention to reply to the former President. "Colonel Roosevelt is an enigma," says Governor Haskell. "He is either the greatest living American or the most insincere man ever born. The best men on earth may be misled into doing wrong things, and it is possible that unworthy things may be so sugar-coated as to deceive the public. In the end the tree must be known by its fruit: gorgeous blossoms and beautiful foliage are to be thrust aside and the fruit itself tested for the real merit."

It is improbable that anything Governor Haskell may say of Colonel Roosevelt will seriously impair the standing of the latter. Haskell is a political boss. He makes and shapes the politics of his state. He fills the offices with men of his own choosing; and he has been under fire so often in connection with alleged questionable transactions that anything he may say of Colonel Roosevelt will fall flat upon the public ear. The wonder is that he has so little political foresight as to even challenge in duel the most popular man in the country.

Mr. Roosevelt is not always discrete in his public utterances. He assaults men and institutions with equal ferocity. Whether it be a Haskell in Oklahoma or a Sherman in New York makes no difference to him, and the fact that he usually escapes controversy with the victims of his tongue indicates that he has hit the mark or that the subjects of his maledictions fear to measure swords with him. Haskell, however, is a notoriety seeker, and the reflections upon his record uttered by Colonel Roosevelt, instead of piercing his sensibilities, only furnished him an opportunity of again getting into the limelight. He may analyze Roosevelt's faults, and the Associated Press may string the wires with his words, but the American public will give as little heed to them as though they had remained unuttered.

Haskell is too small a fish in the pond of politics to swim with Roosevelt. He may rattle around in the little gubernatorial chair of Oklahoma, and perhaps succeed in concealing his real character from many of his own people, but when he essays the ridiculous role of debater with Roosevelt he but punctures the mask of his own shallow character.—San Jose Mercury.

Convention of the People

It is a remarkable body of men that has assembled in San Francisco today as the Republican state convention. Remarkable because it is new to have in California a convention of delegates representing the people instead of the power of a great railroad corporation. Remarkable because it is the most unusual in this state to look upon a partisan gathering chosen by direct vote under the provisions of a direct primary law.

The state convention which meets today will be entirely controlled by Republican Progressives. It will be influenced in all its actions by the declaration of principles enunciated in the platform adopted by the Los Angeles county Progressive Republicans at the recent county convention. It will be dictated to by no political or corporation boss. It will transact its business soberly, openly and honestly as representatives of the great body of the people, having no regard for any special interest of privilege.

Infact, the Republican party of California, not the Southern Pacific railroad, is holding a state convention today, and those things will be said and done which have been directed to be said and done by the people of California.

Don't you like the change? Does it not breathe a fresher, freer, purer air of human liberty and of popular rights?

Let us move to extend it to our brethren throughout the nation.—Los Angeles Express.

Pure Food "Disturbances"

Another case where business is being "disturbed" has come to light, as is evident from a Washington dispatch to the News, which says:

"Manufacturers of some classes of foodstuffs are co-operating in a movement to persuade the federal authorities not to give publicity to condemnations under the pure food and drug law. The Department of Agriculture has made a practice ever since the law went into effect of issuing bulletins setting forth in brief form the facts surrounding all convictions under the law. Some of the manufacturers assert that the public in many cases gains from these bulletins an erroneous impression that is unjust to the manufacturers."

These manufacturers apparently do not understand that one of the penalties of violating the law, and in some cases far from the least, is the approbrium that such violation involves—when it is discovered. Furthermore, this is one of the most powerful influences in bringing about obedience to the law. It is not only perfectly just that the public should be informal of what condemnations of food products there have been, but it has a right to know of such action in order to protect itself. If other legitimate products of any manufacturer suffer from the fact that certain of his products have been officially condemned, that is his own fault—it cannot be said to be his misfortune. He took the risk with a view of adding to his profits, and if he is discovered there is nothing for him to do but bear the penalty, even if, in addition to the judicial mulct, it causes a "disturbance" of business.—Indianapolis News.

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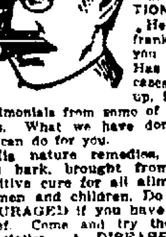

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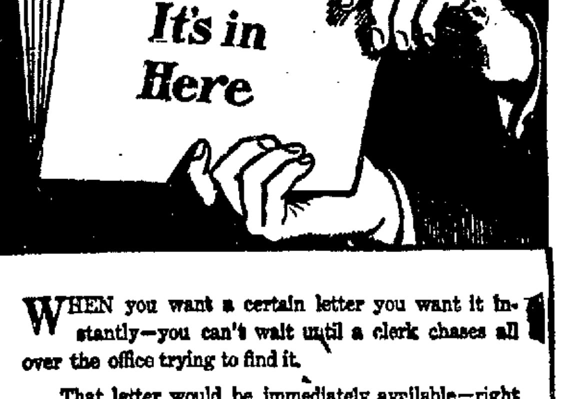

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WEATHER CONDITIONS

GENERAL CONDITIONS

Since yesterday the barometric pressure has risen slightly along the entire Pacific slope while it has fallen over the British Northwest and the plateau. These changes have made a trough of pressure that covers the plateau and north Rocky mountains causing rain over California, Nevada and Utah. In California the rain area has spread to the coast during the last 24 hours, light showers having fallen at San Francisco and Los Angeles. The total rainfall for the storm at Fresno was 1.00.

The influence of the disturbance now over the plateau will be felt in cloudy or partly cloudy weather this afternoon and tonight with lower temperature tonight. Saturday will be fair.

W. E. BONNETT, Local Forecaster.

Observations taken at 5 p. m. yesterday:

Air temperature	81
Highest temperature yesterday	84
Lowest temperature yesterday	69
Humidity (percentage of)	29
Wind W. (mi. per hr.)	9
Today's rainfall	T.
Rainfall Sept. 1st to date	1.00

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The term of the Washington union high school at Easton will open next Monday one week later than the general school opening day in the county.

Charles Pike reported to the police yesterday morning that he had been robbed of his purse containing $2 at the circus the night before. Pike says the money was taken by a pickpocket.

George Fithian was granted by the supervisors a liquor license in a new location at Reedley, having been burned by the fire on July 4th out of the premises for which the original license was granted.

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The supervisors have ordered re-established Fancher and Mercy suspended school districts, each having found eight pupils ready to attend school. This attendance is the minimum permitted under the school law.

Funeral services over the remains of the late George Kisling will be held at the Ebenezer Evangelical church, corner F and Los Angeles streets, this morning at 10 o'clock. Interment will take place at Mountain View cemetery.

The meeting to have been held yesterday afternoon with the city trustees on the subject of the Dry Creek diverting canal did not take place because of the absence of the mayor who was engaged on other city business matters.

Certified claims for services as election officers at the recent primary will be payable today upon presentation at the county auditor's office. There are over 1000 such claimants who will be rushing in from all over the county for their money.

Scott McKay, J. B. Henderson and W. J. Hutchinson have been ordered by the supervisors to view and survey the road petitioned for by John J. Kern in 15 and 16-15-12, also McKay, W. J. Hutchinson and W. C. Marshall the road asked for by W. S. Henderson and others from town of Du Bois to town of Raisin.

Rather than pay a fine of $90 imposed yesterday by Judge Graham, Bat McCarthy will serve ninety days in jail. McCarthy pleaded guilty to a charge of disturbing the peace. He was arrested at Firebaugh about three weeks ago by Constable Vincent Belli. It required the combined strength of five men to place the handcuffs on McCarthy, who is a man of powerful physique.

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S. P. TO HAVE 2 MEN FOR VALLEY BUSINESS

W. R. Van Sickler Promoted to Be Traveling Freight Agent.

Owing to the unprecedented rush of business in the San Joaquin valley the Southern Pacific has decided to have two traveling freight agents to take care of the business in this section of the state. W. R. Van Sickler is to occupy the newly created position, according to word received here yesterday from the head offices at San Francisco. The appointment, which is to take effect in the near future, gives as the district in which Van Sickler will work the district between Lathrop and Stockton to Mojave.

Mr. Van Sickler has been connected with the company for the past eighteen years, and has won a large circle of friends as chief clerk of the Fresno office. He will retain his residence in Fresno.

The other traveling freight agent for this part of the state is C. E. Spear, also of Fresno, and a prominent member of the local lodge of Elks. No appointment to fill the vacancy created by the promotion of Mr. Van Sickler has yet been made.

CANDIDATES MAY STILL FILE EXPENSE ACCOUNTS

Curry to Issue Nomination Certificates Up to October 13th.

Owing to the confusion which has been created by sections of the primary law relative to the filing of financial statements by candidate and the issuance of nomination certificates, Charles F. Curry, secretary of state, has announced that he will issue certificates of nomination to successful primary candidates who file their expense accounts with him twenty-five days before the general election in November, or by October 13th.

One section of the primary law states that all candidates must file their statements within twenty-eight days after the primary election, while another section states that the secretary of state shall issue certificates of nomination up to within twenty-five days of the general election.

Curry has interpreted the last section to mean that candidates may file their statements up to that time.

There are several candidates in Fresno county who have not as yet filed their affidavits of expense, one of these being C. M. McArdle, Democratic nominee for county recorder, inasmuch, however, as an extension of time has been allowed by the secretary of state, it is believed the county clerk will do likewise. In fact it is stated at the county clerk's office that a certificate will be issued to McArdle. The primary law makes it a misdemeanor for any candidate to fail to file an affidavit, the punishment being not less than $100 fine or less than thirty days in jail. This applies to all candidates whether successful or not.

IN THE LODGE ROOM

ODD FELLOWS

Fresno Encampment No. 78, of the I. O. O. F., held its regular meeting last evening with a fair attendance. Routine business occupied all of the session not devoted to the initiatory exercises.

The Golden Rule degree was conferred on Charles Henry. Next Friday he is to receive the Royal Purple degree.

MARRIED

PELLYER-CANAN—In Naranjo, Tulare county, September 14, 1910, Benjamin Harrison Pellyer and Miss Genevieve Vivian Canan, Rev. Duncan Wallace officiating.

GALLOPP-KNUDSON —At the parsonage of Calvary church, September 15, 1910, Joseph E. Gallopp and Miss Margherita Knudson, both of Oakland.

McCOLLISTER-MARTIN —At the parsonage of the North Side Christian church, September 15, 1910, Carl Waldo McCollister and Miss Ada Marlin, Rev. Charles Laurant Beal officiating.

The trial of W. A. Washburn has been set for Wednesday morning, September 21, by Judge Graham. Washburn is accused of disturbing the peace in a warrant sworn to by O. F. Lundelius, president of the San Joaquin Investment company. Lundelius alleges that Washburn called him a vile name during a heated argument over a business deal.

Deputy Sheriff Vincent Belli has been appointed by County Health Officer Long a deputy for the Firebaugh district.

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No case of Rheumatism was ever cured except by a thorough purification of the blood; just as long as the blood remains charged with fermenting uric acid poison, the painful disease will continue. The pains and aches of Rheumatism are simply superficial effects of the impurities in the circulation, and sometimes may be temporarily relieved by the application of plasters, liniments, hot cloths, etc. But the person who trifles with this dangerous disease by depending on local treatment alone, is certain to pay for the mistake with constant suffering later on. S. S. S. cures Rheumatism in the only way it is possible to cure the disease. It goes down into the blood, and removes the uric acid from the circulation, so that the nerves, bones, muscles and joints are lubricated and fed with nourishing elements instead of being continually irritated and inflamed with the sharp, uratic impurity. When S. S. S. has cleansed and purified the blood, the pains and aches cease, all inflammation disappears, stiffened muscles are made pliant, and every troublesome symptom of Rheumatism is permanently corrected. Book on Rheumatism and any medical advice free to all who write.

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FRESNANS TO BE GUESTS OF BRAZIL ON LONG PROMOTION TRIP

George Roeding, M. F. Tarpey and George Malter Are Named.

Chartered Steamship to Go From New York November 19th.

George Roeding, M. F. Tarpey and George Malter will be among a large delegation of distinguished Americans who shortly are to make a tour of Brazil under the auspices and as the guests of the Brazilian government, according to a statement made last evening by Dr. Eugenio Dahne, commissioner of the Brazilian government, who registered last evening at the Sequoia. Dr. Dahne was here a couple of months ago in the course of a tour of the United States. He is accompanied by Vicente Gonsalves Dias, manager of the Brazilian president's plantations, and himself a capitalist and government official of prominence.

Dr. Dahne has just returned from a two months' eastern trip. He went East to welcome President-elect Marschal Hermes of the South American republic, who was invited by Governor Gillett, through Dr. Dahne, to be a guest at the recent Admission Day fete at San Francisco. Owing to the serious illness of his son, the distinguished South American was unable to make the trip as had been planned. He returned to Brazil directly from Europe, cutting short a world tour he was making with the aim of promoting interest abroad in Brazilian commerce.

"Brazil expects great things from the Panama Canal," remarked Dr. Dahne last evening at his hotel. "For one thing, it will tend to promote, we hope, an extensive trade with the Pacific coast. Our ships will sail through the canal to San Francisco and other coast points with our products and will carry back the products of California, including, probably raisins, and other products of Fresno county.

"Brazil, you know, has quite a large merchant marine. Yes, we have a system of ship subsidy, somewhat similar to that of Germany and Great Britain, but the line that would come here probably would be of a system that practically is owned by the government. The government operates, you know, a line of ships to New York now.

"I have been in this country about fifteen years, in the interests of Brazilian commerce. I have received many courtesies from Americans and the American government. As a return courtesy by the Brazilian government I have been authorized to organize a special excursion to Brazil, so that Americans may see as guests of the government the resources of Brazil. It will be something in the nature of a reciprocal promotion trip.

"Several prominent Californians have been invited. We hope that your Admiral Evans will come. His name has been mentioned, but I do not know positively whether or not he will go. Lieut. Governor Warren Porter, Senator Bliss of Sacramento, Senator Wolfe, Frank L. Brown of San Francisco, the Bakersfield oil capitalist, and others will be on the trip.

"Fresno will be represented by George Roeding, M. F. Tarpey and Mr. Malter. These are just some of the names of those who will make the trip.

"A steamship has been chartered to sail from New York on November 19th. There will be a number of people from other parts of the United States. We expect to have with us Former Governor Francis of St. Louis, president of the St. Louis Exposition a few years ago. There will be representatives of some of the Chambers of Commerce of the Pacific coast, that is, those of San Francisco, Los Angeles, Fresno, Sacramento, Portland, Seattle, Victoria and Vancouver.

"By encouraging a greater mutual interest and by promoting a more thorough understanding of the resources of the two countries, the Brazilian government hopes to do great things for the commerce between the two nations."

J. I. Pimentel of Fresno will accompany the party as an interpreter.

HERRIN MAY SELL OIL LAND TO BRITISHERS

Head Counsel of S. P. Is Now on Way to London on Special Mission.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—William F. Herrin, vice president and chief counsel of the Southern Pacific Company, is today en route to New York, having left last night in his private car attached to the overland train. He will shortly sail for London to transact important business at the request of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., bankers for the railroad company, and for its president, Robert T. Lovett, pertaining to the company's California oil lands and its San Francisco terminal properties.

W. V. Herrin, son of W. F. Herrin, and the former's chum, Nicholas Boyd, are members of the party going to London. It is believed that Herrin's important mission abroad will keep him there until about the middle of November, when he will be accompanied on his return by his daughters.

It is said that a London syndicate is preparing to enter the California oil fields, believing that the British admiralty will soon order on an extensive scale the use of oil instead of coal for battleships.

The Southern Pacific has many patented acres of land in the San Joaquin valley that lies within the oil-bearing region.

While it is considered certain that Herrin's mission is an important one, the details are known only to himself and his New York associates.

CHURCH TO HOLD MEETING IN TENT

The members of the North Side Christian church have arranged to pitch a large tent on a vacant lot near the church building and will begin a protracted meeting October 9. The minister, Charles Laurant Beal, will do the preaching. A large choir will furnish the music. The tent will seat one thousand persons which is a larger audience than could be accommodated in the church building.

YOUNG RANCHER IS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY

C. H. McRay Alleged to Have Issued Several Bogus Checks.

C. H. McRay, a young man whose mother died recently leaving him a large estate, was arrested yesterday by Detective Ben Drenth, on a charge of passing fictitious checks. The crime is a felony. McRay was taken into custody on complaint of Walsh Brothers of this city, who conduct an automobile livery service.

The Walsh boys declare that young McRay gave them several bad checks in exchange for joy-rides. A woman is said to be responsible for McRay's course. McRay owns a large ranch. The accused man was released on bail by Police Judge Briggs.

MAUD LILLIAN BERRI NOT TO WED BROKER

Sues Frank Moulan for Divorce and Will Return to the Stage.

"Really it isn't true at all. When I get my divorce from Mr. Moulan I am not going to marry any one else," says Maud Lillian Berri, the actress, in answer to the rumor that a prominent broker is waiting to press his own suit, said yesterday's San Francisco Bulletin.

Charging Frank Moulan, her husband, the comedian, with desertion, Miss Berri filed her divorce complaint this morning. She has been living for some time with her maid at the Charlevois apartments on Pine street. She is the daughter of the late Commodore Fulton G. Berry of Fresno, and it was his last illness and death which took her from the stage.

Frank Moulan and Miss Berri were married nine years ago in Chicago. She had formerly been the wife of Dr. Frank Fisher, an Oakland physician, from whom she secured a divorce before her debut in New York theatrical circles, where she was an immense success. As Mrs. Fisher she was prominent as a church singer.

Moulan and his wife toured the country together in one of Ade's comic operas. Her father's health began to fail, so Miss Berri took an engagement in the West to be near him. It was arranged that the beautiful actress and the comedian were to enter vaudeville here with a sketch on the Orpheum circuit, but Moulan returned to New York, and all plans were dropped. While with the Koth & Dill Company here, Miss Berri received word that the commodore was dying, and cancelled her engagement.

After her father's death, Miss Berri stayed with her mother, who is now living at the Palace hotel. She and her husband each went a separate way, until Moulan was notified by her attorney, Carrol Cook, that she was going to sue for divorce.

"It is better to be divorced than to live apart this way," says Miss Berri. "After a trip to New York I will go back to the stage at the first of the year. I will probably be here in the West, at least, I hope so."

JOHNSON WILL RUN LIKE SCARED DEER

Alex Gordon Says All Northern California Is Strong for Him.

Alex Gordon, formerly of Fresno, where he still has interests, was down from Sacramento yesterday, and said Hiram Johnson will run "like a scared deer" all through Northern California. Mr. Gordon received the nomination for railroad commissioner as the Lincoln-Roosevelt Republican candidate at the August primaries, and opens his campaign with Hiram Johnson at the northern end of his district next Monday.

"It was taken for granted before the primaries," said Mr. Gordon, "that the successful Republican candidate at the primaries was as good as elected, and while I have not been over the district since the primaries, I have received encouragement from all sides and I can see no reason to doubt the correctness of the pre-primary view of the situation. I received a most encouraging vote at the primary, and my election seems as assured as any future event can be assured. There is one thing, however, that I want, and that I shall tell the voters all over my district, and that is a good strong Republican majority of progressive Republicans in the next legislature. To make the railroad commission an effective body it is necessary to have the law governing the commission modified and extended. Unless there is a progressive Republican legislature to do this very important work, the new railroad commission will not be able to accomplish the large work for the benefit of the state that is possible and ought to be done."

OFFICIAL VOTE FOR CONGRESSMEN GIVEN

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 16.—The secretary of state has totalled the official vote for members of Congress, with the exception of those on Socialist and Prohibition tickets in the seventh district. These figures follow:

First district—John L. Childs, 7438; W. F. Engelbright, 5806; John E. Raker, 5489; W. M. Morgan, 172; John L. Childs (Prohibition), 6; C. H. Essex (Prohibition), 8; scattering, 109. Total, 22,637.

Second district—William E. Kent, 14,191; Duncan E. McKinlay, 10,372; I. G. Zumwalt, 7407; W. H. Furber, 179; H. P. Stitts, 9; scattering, 250. Total, 32,408.

Third district—Joseph R. Knowland (Rep.), 27,241; Joseph R. Knowland (Dem.), 219; S. Miller, 432; J. M. Christian, 47; scattering, 162. Total 28,141.

Fourth district—Julius Kahn, 907; Walter MacArthur, 972; Robert P. Troy (Dem.), 659; August Lewis, 80; E. F. Dunsmore, 6; scattering, 2. Total, 10,616.

Fifth district—Charles D. Davidson, 14,529; E. A. Hayes, 20,019; Thomas E. Hayden, 3,894; E. L. Reguin, 313; F. E. Caton, 61; scattering, 430. Total 39,046.

Sixth district—James C. Needham, 12,815; Henry Hawson, 1492; Richard Kirk, 88; W. M. Coward, 55; I. E. Surface, 73; scattering, 246. Total 14,804.

Seventh district—James McLachlan, 18,774; W. D. Stephens, 18,890. Lorn D. Handley, 5394. Total for three 38,162.

Eighth district—Lewis R. Kirby, 10,229; S. C. Smith, 11,660; Lewis R. Kirby (Dem.), 288; E. O. Millet (Dem.), 24; S. C. Smith (Dem.), 329; G. A. Garrett, 475; J. E. Edwards, 48; scattering, 66. Total 22,928.

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SAME MAN IS TO BE ELECTION BOARD AND VOTING POPULATION

Single Citizen of Sequoia Precinct to Get Full Election Supplies.

The celebrated mariner mentioned by Lewis Carroll as the cook and the captain bold and the mate of the captain's brig, and the midshipmite and a bosun tight and the crew of the captain's gig, will be outdone in real life in the coming general election, state the county officials. A full supply of the multitudinous blanks used in the general election will have to be sent to the lonely precinct of Sequoia, where a single voter will perform the duties of the election board, and other precinct functionaries, as well as the voting population to exercise his sovereign right as a voter in the commonwealth.

The Sequoia precinct was provided for the benefit of the laborers in the lumber camp that used to be at Millwood. Later the camp was shifted to Hume, outside of the precinct, and all of the voters moved with the camp, leaving behind one citizen who is still a resident of the old precinct. He registered in time for the primaries, but as he did not state his party affiliation, he was not qualified to vote for the candidates for any of the party tickets. He has a right to vote at the general election, however, and the provisions of the law, it is said, requires that he shall be given the opportunity of exercising that right, regardless of the expense.

It is stated here that a similar case where a precinct has but a single voter exists in San Diego county.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Coon and son Allie of Roeding district left for Los Angeles last evening to spend a month.

Judge Church was summoned yesterday to Visalia to hold court there for Judge Wallace.

H. M. Hollembeak of Stockton was a business visitor in Fresno yesterday.

J. P. Bernhard left yesterday for Modesto to meet Congressman Needham and accompany him to the Newman fair today.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Taber of Washington, D. C., are in Fresno for a short visit with Mrs. Taber's mother, Mrs. A. C. Storer.

Mrs. William Thorpe returned last evening from a week's sojourn in San Francisco.

G. M. Brewster, local ticket agent for the Southern Pacific, returned yesterday from a vacation trip to various resorts.

J. M. Metcalf, assistant division superintendent of the Southern Pacific, is expected back from a vacation trip to Cedar Rapids on the 20th inst.

Ed Pomeroy, general agent for the freight department of the Pennsylvania railroad, was a Fresno visitor yesterday.

C. E. Bowker of Madison district has returned to Fresno after an extended tour of the Orient and the South Sea Islands. He was away over a year.

Theo Madsen, formerly a teacher of this city and now supervisor of manual training at Riverside, is in Fresno on a visit.

POISON THEORY UP IN CRIPPEN CASE

Analyst Testifies Body Found in Cellar Died From Drug.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—Dr. William Henry Wilcox, scientist analyst to the home office, who discovered a deadly drug in the body found in the home of Dr. Hawley H. Crippen, took the stand when the trial of the doctor and his typist, Ethel Claire Leneve, for the murder of the former's wife was resumed and swore unqualifiedly that death was due to poison.

The physician described the nature of the medium used and said that a quarter to half a grain would prove fatal. He had found two-sevenths of a grain after a lapse of from four to eight months and judged little more than half a grain had been administered. He found no other cause of death and expressed the opinion that the victim survived the dose an hour or more.

Before Dr. Wilcox was called, the crown introduced medical testimony to corroborate to that given Wednesday by Professor Augustus J. Pepper, pathologist of the University of London, who swore that the body had been dismembered by one familiar with the science of anatomy.

The gruesome exhibits and the unpleasant character of the testimony at the last session did not deter the curious from struggling to get into the Bow streets police court today and the section apportioned to the public was again crowded.

The spectators included the usual array of fashionably dressed women and these thoughtfully removed their hats that those seated behind them might not miss a move of the trembling girl in the dock or of her companion in duress, whose jaunty air only adds to the morbid interest in the case.

Dr. Wilcox, whose evidence was severely technical, was in the witness box for four hours. Solicitor Arthur Newton, who is conducting the case for the defense, closely cross examined the witness but elicited nothing fresh.

Inspector Dew of Scotland Yard then took the stand. Solicitor Newton asked him a few questions on behalf of Miss Leneve with the object of showing that she had said repeatedly that she believed whatever Crippen told her.

"She did not mention Crippen to me," the detective replied.

The case was then adjourned to September 21.

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$1.50 Golf Shirts at $1.00

We are showing today for the first time, the new Fall line of Wilson Golf Shirts, in an endless variety; in all the new designs for the coming season, a neatly made garment; honestly cut; in all sizes and worth in the regular way $1.50. On special sale today at $1.00

27 Inch Fancy Cretonnes 8 1-3c

A new assortment of 27 inch fancy Cretonnes, in green, tan, red and blue grounds, with figured scrolls and designs; suitable for covering comforts; an exceptional good value. Special today at 8 1-3c

27 Inch Amoskeag Ginghams at 9c

A beautiful assortment of new fancy and plain dress ginghams, of Amoskeag manufacture; in latest designs for children's school dresses, good washable materials and the best colorings; 27 inches wide. Special today at 9c

Java Rice Face Powder; 50c size 33c

Ladies' Button Dress Shoes at $2.50

Ladies' button shoes of best quality vici kid, with matt kid uppers; patent leather tips and extension soles; made on the new Stage last; in all sizes and widths; a very neat and dressy shoe. Special today at $2.50

Ladies' $1.50 Juliettes 98c

Ladies' fancy kid Juliettes, with hand turned soles and rubber heels; made on good comfortable lasts; an ideal house shoe; regular $1.50 quality. On special sale for today at 98c

35c and 50c Celluloid Soap Boxes 25c

Ladies' $3.50 Sweaters $2.79

Ladies' worsted Sweaters; made in fancy weave, in white, cardinal and gray, with two pockets and buttons to match color of the garment; latest shape; regular $3.50 grade; in all sizes. Special today at $2.79

Ladies' $1.50 Flannelette Gowns 98c

Several new styles in ladies' new flannelette gowns; good quality; neatly trimmed with finishing braid; pink and blue striped effects; in all sizes; a $1.50 quality. Special today at 98c

25c and 35c Hat Pins for 15c

Pint Mason Jars Per Doz. 40c

The genuine "Ball" mason fruit jars; best quality on the market; complete with caps and rubbers. Special today in the basement, per dozen 40c

50c Parlor Brooms 39c

A very good quality of Eastern Corn Parlor Brooms, 4 sewed; good shape; light weight; worth 50c. On special sale today at 39c

Colgate's Talcum Powder; 25c size 15c

50c Pillow Tops 39c

Our new assortment of pillow tops; made on best quality of art linen, in California, Floral and Conventional designs, with backs to match; the regular 50c assortment. Special 39c

35c and 50c Fancy Ribbons Today 23c

Hundreds of pretty designs in fancy sash and hair ribbons; 4 to 5 inches wide; Dresden, loom warp; in striped effects; all silk; worth from 35c to 50c. On special sale today 23c

$1.25 Long Silk Gloves; all colors 98c

Girls' $2.75 Dresses $1.49

20 neat styles in dresses for girls from 6 to 14 years. They are of ginghams, Repp., chambray, percale; dresses that are easily worth from $2.25 to $2.75 each; a cut 50 in the lot; so come early for best choice; values up to $2.75. Special today $1.49

New Fall Silks

Today we show a beautiful new line of plaid and Dresden silks, in every wantable color combination. The largest assortment of fancy silks ever shown in Fresno. Beautiful assortments at.... 69c, 75c, 79c, 89c, 98c and $1.19

New Fall Dress Goods

Our new Fall dress goods are here for your selection today. Our showing comprises all the latest fabrics of the season, in black and all of the new colorings. They are on display at the dress goods counter this morning at exceptionally low prices; good assortment, at 50c and 60c per yard.

Our New Clothing Department on the Third Floor (Take the Elevator)

It will pay you to take a trip on one of our elevators today and inspect the beautiful new showing of our young men's and boys' clothing, that we have on display there. The choice of the season's latest novelties will be found at the most reasonable prices. Hart Schaffner & Marx line of high grade, hand tailored garments for men, the "Sampeck" line for young men and boys, and several other leading makes. In order to introduce the new feature of showing the clothing on the third floor, we have made the prices so attractive, the department so inviting, that it will be a pleasure to buy your suits here. We invite your inspection today.

Mrs. Potts' Irons: 3 to the set, with holder and stand ..98c

Swift's Pride Cleanser, 4 cans for 25c

50c Window Shades: full size, best water color 35c

Tin top Jelly Glasses, per dozen 25c

Children's Knit Underwaists; all sizes 8c

Children's 10c Hose Supporters; all sizes; black and white 10c

Ladies' 15c and 25c Handkerchiefs, slightly soiled 5c

Children's School Handkerchiefs; thin stripe effect's 3c

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Latest News of the Oil Fields

ASSOCIATED TO JOIN PRODUCERS' AGENCY, REPORT NOW CIRCULATED

Officials Admit That Agency and Associated Have Been Discussing Some Sort of Deal; Independents to Sell for 35 Cents in Large Amounts.

(Special to the Republican.)

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 16.—Unverified rumors were circulated about this city today to the effect that a big deal is about to be consummated between the Independent Producers' Agency and the Associated Oil Company, whereby the Associated is to join the Agency. It is stated that the deal is to be negotiated by President Sinclair for the Agency and W. S. Porter and O. Scribner for the Associated. Color was given to the report by the departure of Sinclair yesterday for Los Angeles. While no official information can be secured, it is admitted that Sinclair and Porter have been discussing some sort of a contract.

According to the report circulated here, three conditions are to be exacted in the deal. The first is that the Associated shall join the Agency. The second is that the Agency is to sell oil in large amounts to the Associated at the rate of 35 cents, and the third condition is that the Agency is to close its doors to all producers not now within its organization.

It is generally believed that if the Agency closes its doors the outside companies will be almost forced to the wall, for there is a general belief that such a situation will mean that prices at the well will be slashed almost to nothing. Such a move as contemplated will, however, in all probability, force all the smaller producers into the Agency.

The Producers' Agency began running Lakeview oil yesterday and it has also run 4,000 barrels from the American Oilfields well on section 36.

Biliousness is due to disordered condition of the stomach. Chamberlain's Tablets are essentially a stomach medicine, intended especially to act on that organ; to cleanse it, strengthen it, tone and invigorate it, to regulate the liver and to banish biliousness positively and effectually. For sale by all dealers.

HOT WEATHER AFFECTS THE SKIN

Tender skins are bound to be affected by the increased amount of poison in the copious perspiration thrown off during hot weather. Rashes, hives, blotches, pimples, prickly heat result. Often too, serious skin troubles begin this way.

To wash away the poison entirely, to clean and cool the skin, make an application of a simple solution of wintergreen with thymol, known as D. D. D. Prescription. Doctors prescribe this D. D. D. Prescription for eczema. It is sold for the purpose in dollar bottles, but we can give you for 25 cents enough D. D. D. to keep your skin fresh and clean from summer blemishes.

If there is any itch this wintergreen lotion will take it away instantly, the very second it is applied to the skin. We assure you of this for we have seen the result with D. D. D. Monroe Drug Co.

RALPH ARNOLD RESENTS FREE USE OF HIS NAME

San Benito Co. Oil Fields Are Known as the Vallecitos Fields.

Editor Republican: Notwithstanding my efforts to discourage the use of my name in connection with the Vallecitos Oil District, San Benito county, certain parties still persist in calling this the "Arnold field." Knowing as they must how objectionable and misleading is this use of an individual's name, they can be credited with but one motive in continuing the practice.

It is quite true that I have gotten out a brief report on a limited area of the Vallecitos district for some private parties and that I have drawn favorable conclusions as to the oil possibilities of this particular area, but it is also true that I believe a considerable part of the district, so-called, is devoid of any favorable indications. But one concern is authorized to use my name in connection with properties in this district and as this is a closed corporation, the name is not being used in aid of stock selling or similar purposes. I would therefore suggest to prospective investors a careful survey of the merits of any company using the name "Arnold Field" in connection with their operations.

Yours very truly,
RALPH ARNOLD.

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OPERATORS ARE ACTIVE IN VALLECITOS FIELD

Many Companies Getting Ready to Drill; Oil Here of High Gravity.

Development in the Vallecitos oil district in the southern portion of San Benito county, California, is going ahead. Much activity is prevalent in several portions of this field.

The Range 16 Oil Company, operating on section 3-17-11, has all of its lumber hauled from Mendota, the nearest railroad point on the Southern Pacific main line.

The carpenters have been at work on the buildings of the company for the past ten days, and the rig builders have just reached the field and will rush to completion the extra heavy standard rig which the company is erecting. The equipment, consisting of a forty-horsepower boiler, twenty-three horsepower standard drilling engine, a 3,000 foot sand line, and a 3,500 foot drilling cable, has been shipped to the field from Los Angeles.

The first car load of this machinery arrived in Mendota on September 7th, and most of it is either at the scene of operations or enroute. The second car load of machinery for this company leaves Los Angeles September 20th.

This company is entitled to considerable credit for going into this field prepared, as it is, to go to a depth of 3,000 feet if it becomes necessary, in order to prove its ground.

On the next section east of the Range 16 Oil Company, Dr. Ralph Arnold and associates are preparing to sink a well exactly similar to that of the Range 16 Oil Company. Mr. Spurlin, the field superintendent, says that they have ordered a duplicate of the Range 16's equipment, and are prepared with ample finances to go to a depth of 3,000 feet, it being the opinion of Dr. Arnold, however, that 1,500 feet will be sufficient. This company is operating on ground which was leased from John and William Ashurst, who are ranchers in the Vallecitos Valley. Mr. W. P. Hammon, the noted placer expert of San Francisco, is one of the moving spirits in this new company, as well as Mr. Edward A. Clark, the copper magnate of Boston. This land was highly recommended to these gentlemen in a report recently made for them by Dr. Ralph Arnold, until recently with the United States geological survey.

This company has purchased a sixty horsepower automobile for their field work, and has placed its order for lumber for their rig, and entire equipment for an extra heavy standard derrick.

The Ashurst Oil Company is actively engaged in the development of their holdings in this district. The San Carlos well, which is located just southwest of the Range 16 Oil Company, has reached a depth of 650 feet, with fine indications of oil. In fact, the tools come up covered with oil each time they are raised to the surface.

The town of Syncline, which is located immediately west of the Range 16 Oil Company and on the west half of section 5-17-11, is growing some. A ten room addition to the hotel is under construction, and this hostelry is doing a thriving business. They have a bar, a garage in connection with the hotel, and a general store. Lumber for several dwelling houses is being brought in.

The officers and directors of the Range 16 Oil Company have just returned from a trip of inspection through the Vallecitos, and John M. Fairfield, secretary of the Range 16 Oil Company, reports that in a conversation with W. E. McConnell, Jr., of Hollister, whom he met in the Vallecitos in company with a party composed of San Francisco and Hollister people, he was informed by Mr. McConnell, who is searcher of records at Hollister, that every piece of patented land in the Vallecitos Valley was either leased or else under option for sale, and that much activity was prevalent in land transfers in that section. Mr. McConnell also stated that prices were going up steadily. The oil is about thirty degrees gravity.

MARICOPA NATIONAL OFFICERS MAKE REPLY

Say Gregory's Statements Concerning Well and Co. Are Not True.

Editor Republican: On or about September 7th Mr. Fred W. Gregory over his signature made this statement: "This well has been making a steady production of from 600 to 1000 barrels for the past thirty days," referring to the Maricopa National Petroleum well. This statement was false and if his source of information was as good and reliable as he claims he must have known that the well was not producing from the 12th to the 27th day of August.

He also states in the same communication that: It has been impossible to get first hand statements from the officers of the company. We wish to state that this statement is absolutely false.

We are not publishing these facts in an endeavor to depreciate the value of the stock, for we honestly believe the stock to be worth many times the quoted price, but for the sole purpose of showing our stockholders the unreliability of the statements concerning the affairs of the company emanating from any brokerage company.

A. S. CLEARY, President
Of Maricopa Nat. Pet. Co.
GEORGE V. MARTIN, Sec.

OIL NOTES FROM COALINGA FIELD

COALINGA, Sept. 16.—The Dominion Oil Company, on section 7-23-17, is down 1620 feet in 8-inch casing. The formation in which they are working is a brown sand shale which has a streaked showing of oil accompanied by a strong gas pressure. The well is being drilled by the log of the South Field Oil Company, which is just entering the oil sand. The Dominion expects to go into the sand at between 1800 and 1900 feet.

Well No. 4, on section 30, of the Nevada Petroleum was drilled in a few days ago with a rotary rig and is now 650 feet deep and making good headway. No. 4 on the same section is being rigged up for standard drilling and will be ready to spud in within three days from today. No. 4 on section 18 is being drilled with a rotary drill and is down 1650 feet.

The crew of men working on the El Cerrito well, 14-32-17, are shipping material and casing from here to Maricopa for Captain Barneson's interests. The 6¾-inch was loose, so that all was removed to 4105 feet; the 8⅝-inch 2972 feet in the well, 2870 feet was pulled; there was 2520 feet of 10-inch in the well, this was shot off about 1000 feet from the bottom, the remainder was pulled out and will be shipped to the Sunset district, where it is hoped it will do service in an oil well.

"DON'T CARE WHAT ANY ONE SAYS."—BALLINGER

Secretary in Speech Pays Tribute to Taft for His Poise.

SPOKANE, Wash., Sept. 16.—"I don't care what anybody says about me so long as I am conscious of doing my duty, not only as a private citizen but as a public officer. The man who pursues the course that seems to him to meet the obligations of his place in life has no need to fear about the future."

So declared Richard A. Ballinger, secretary of the interior, at the noon luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce.

"There never was a time when greater opportunities were laid before the American people than today. There was never opportunity for greater prosperity than today. All the efforts of public men and business men should be to work together in unison for this prosperity, and to see that it is not destroyed by hypocrisy, demagogy or hysteria, which may exist for a time but will pass away.

"So far as the public service of this country is concerned, every man I know in this administration is laboring first to know the needs of the nation, then to execute these needs within the limits of the law and the constitution. We have not reached the day and I hope never will reach it when the fundamental doctrines of this republic can be forgotten or overlooked.

"This country in its history never had a man more deliberate, better poised, more in harmony with the development of this great nation than William H. Taft. His great achievements perhaps have not yet been fully realized, but they will be realized by the American people."

SOULS LIKE EASTER EGGS

A gentleman who in his mundane existence goes under the name of Hermanus Ruebenguhl left his body in a St. Louis boarding house, he says, and went traveling in his undad soul. He reports an enjoyable trip and a very sociable time with kindred spirits, with whom he hobnobbed while on his journey.

All the souls he met were about the size and shape of goose eggs, but colored according to their characters. Blue souls, for example, were superstitious; red, bloodthirsty; white, uncultured. High livers had pink bands or dots on the soul eggshell; humorists were green and brown souls were deceptive and not to be trusted.

A mass meeting of assorted souls must look like a collection of Easter eggs if Mr. Ruebenguhl's facts are reliable. He is relating his experience in a lecture tour of the middle West and apparently is expecting to keep soul and body together with the proceeds.—Success.

PHILANTHROPIST DIES.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 16.—Richard Turner, a pioneer jobbing merchant of St. Joseph, noted for his philanthropy, died at his home here today, aged 89 years. He made a fortune in the early days freighting from the Missouri river to California.

PORTLAND, Me., April 16.—William H. Pennell, the Democratic congressional candidate in the first district, today conceded the election of Asher C. Hinds, the parliamentarian of the National House. The first and fourth districts will be represented by Republicans and the second and third by Democrats.

HIGH TIDES THREATEN LONG BEACH HOUSES

LONG BEACH, Cal., Sept. 16.—A number of small residences and one apartment house of forty rooms are in danger of tumbling into the sea as a result of the high tides which last night pounded against the high embankment and cut away the foundations beneath the buildings. Many workmen were busy today reinforcing the foundations of these houses to make them resist the force of the waves when they again rise to dangerous heights.

The trouble was caused by unusually high tides which are expected to continue to rise for two or three days. The waves were doing no damage today.

One or two small buildings and a little lunch parlor are on the edge of the crumbling bank and may fall at any time. For a distance of three blocks the tide last night swept away the bulkhead and cement sidewalk. If the tide rises high tonight, the apartment house which is endangered may topple over.

Measures are being taken to save the buildings most threatened and they may prove effective. The tide is not so high as last July, when several houses were undermined and fell into the sea.

GOV. STOKES CLAIMS SENATORIAL VOTE

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 16.—Former Governor E. C. Stokes today said to a representative of the Associated Press that his advices from all sections of the state give him a lead of 5000 to 7000 in the U. S. senatorship primary of last Tuesday. Governor Stokes said he was confident that these figures would not be materially changed by the official returns.

He claims to have led in the voting in seventeen of twenty-one counties and declares he feels confident that the choice expressed in the primary will be respected by the Republicans in the legislature next winter.

Governor Stokes' opponents in the primary were former Governor Franklin Murphy and Congressman Charles L. Fowler.

LIFE BEHIND PRISON BARS.

John Carter, the Youthful "Convict Poet," Tells His Experiences.

To attempt to bring the conditions of life in Stillwater prison clearly before the reader's eye, it will be advisable to detail a day's routine. At 6:45 o'clock the gong rings. This sounds like a very ordinary and necessary procedure, but the morning gong is the insistent fact that disturbs one's dream fancies, the everlasting reminder of one's status in life. At the sound of it, 700 men get out of bed, wash, dress and tidy their cells. At 6:15 o'clock they march to breakfast in the dining halls. Breakfast over, they return to their cells for a moment, but shortly march out to the shops, beginning work promptly at 7 o'clock. Work continues until noon, at which time a recess is taken for dinner. At 1 o'clock work begins again, and it continues until 5 o'clock, when comes once more the silent march, and by 6:15 o'clock every man is locked in his cell. During eight months of the year the night school occupies 150 men until 8 o'clock. The remainder may smoke and read—or write verse—from 6 to 9 o'clock, at which time the gong rings and the lights go out.

This is the invariably week-day routine. On Sundays and holidays comes a welcome change. On Sundays the gong rings an hour later, and after breakfast the men return to their cells for a longer period. Apropos of the word "cell," the aristocratic prisoner uses the euphemism "apartment" or "room," lest after his release he may be unable to break the habit of referring to his sleeping room as a cell. On Sundays, of course, comes chapel service, which continues from an hour to ninety minutes. After service, attendance at which is entirely optional, every man is turned out for exercise. With the exception of a walk of a few yards between the cellhouse and the shops, this is the only opportunity that the majority of the prisoners get to breathe fresh air. If it rains or snows, even this is denied them. After drill comes dinner, and after dinner, the key turns again. From noon on Sunday to 5:45 o'clock on Monday every man is locked in his cell and left to his own devices. On holidays, instead of chapel services and drill, there are entertainments, followed by a few hours of quasi-liberty, during which talking is allowed.—John Carter, in the Century.

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Nothing but a DIAMOND will do when you want an ENGAGEMENT RING. The time has gone by when any sort of a set rine was correct for an engagement ring. Now nothing but a diamond will do and a pure color, perfect stone at that. The emblem of your love must be as pure, as spotless and as perfect as you would have that love to be. Better a small diamond that is true than a larger stone that is not above suspicion. There is one store where you are sure of perfect stones. That one store is

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—BY—
A. L. HUNT D.O.
OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN

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DR. A. L. HUNT
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Today is opening day—and you'll find our showing—embracing a very superb lot—of beautiful hats—the newest of the new—richly trimmed and exquisitely finished—

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Good full plumes—double tied—in black — white — navy — gray — leather — Copenhagen — green — rose, etc.—The best willow plume value we have ever seen—

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Seven strand ostrich novelty—enough to trim a hat with — a full range of colors to choose from, including black — white and dainty shades—

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More new suits and dresses—arrived yesterday—and will receive first showing—today.
We are now prepared—to show nearly—a complete assortment—of tailored suits—and a very good assortment of dresses—
All the styles are absolutely right—all finely tailored—rightly finished and well worth a special trip to see—

Felt Shapes $1.95
All manner of styles in black and colors—large—small and medium effects to choose from—
Probably the best shape value to be found anywhere.

Child's Beavers $3.95
A finely made beaver with leather sweat bands—neatly trimmed with a ribbon band—all colors and several different shapes to make your selections from.

Trimmed Hats $10
We make a specialty of trimmed millinery at this price—offering hats that can't be duplicated for a half more—Let us show you today—

New Fall Silks and Dress Goods
See the big window display and judge both the qualities and the prices for yourself—
We show the very latest stuffs in a wide range of colors and patterns.
Our prices are extremely moderate and our styles distinctively exclusive—

Blankets
Wool Blankets $4.50
White and gray wool blanket with pink and blue borders, 10-4 size, made of a long staple wool. Price $4.50
Wool Nap Blanket $3.00
Extra large 12-4 size, looks just like wool, very fluffy and warm, in white and gray, with pink and blue border. Price $3.00
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Scene from the great comedy hit, "Seven Days."

Nothing could ingratiate a reporter more in the eyes of the managing editor than a "scoop." Since the first newspaper there has been every kind of "exclusive story," but in the comedy of "The Lottery Man," a new comedy by Rida Johnson Young, which the Shuberts will present at the Barton tomorrow evening, use is made of perhaps one of the most novel "beats" ever found in the columns of the press.

The central figure in "The Lottery Man" is Jack Wright, a news gatherer, played by William Rosell. He is a warm friend of Foxey Peyton, who owns the paper, and when he gets a Wall street tip, Wright goes to his chief for money, promising as security, in the event of failure, his pledge to turn into the paper one of the biggest stories New York has ever known. As the tip fails, Wright is compelled to make good. This he does by offering himself as a prize in a lottery which is to be conducted by the newspaper. Naturally the coupons appeal mostly to women and the campaign among the thousands of contestants waxes warm. Shortly after Jack has offered himself as the human prize, he falls in love with Helene Boyer, which fact causes him to deeply regret his entry into such a foolish scheme.

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This in main is the thread of the delightful story that Rida Johnson Young—author of "Brown of Harvard," by the way—has woven in "The Lottery Man," which after its long run at the Bijou theater, New York, comes here with a cast of superior excellence. The principal players are: William Rosell, Vivian Ogden, Lucia Moore, Florence Robertson, May Donahue and others.

"SEVEN DAYS"

Women like handsome gowns and men like to see women wear them. The gorgeous, up-to-date gowns in "Seven Days" add to the interest of this celebrated comedy which is to be presented by Messrs. Wagenhals & Kemper at the Barton next Monday and Tuesday evenings. "Seven Days" is a play of New York fashionable folk who assemble for a dinner party in array befitting the occasion. That dinner, by the way, is never served. A quarantine interposes. Instead of sitting down to a Japanese dinner they have to wait until the next morning before they get anything to eat, and then they are obliged to prepare it themselves in the kitchen. After a time, however, they are permitted to have their trunks and then the women exhibit the latest things in smart clothes. So go to see "Seven Days" for the very latest imported fashion in feminine apparel, also for the biggest laugh you have ever had.

"'Seven Days' is a comedy jewel," says the New York Commercial of the play that has kept Broadway shaking and howling with delight for more than a year. "It is clean and classy from start to finish. It should add to the gaiety of the nation." It has. More people have laughed over "Seven Days," and laughed harder, than over any play seen on the American stage. Seats are now selling.

POLLARD OPERA CO.

This morning at 9 o'clock the seat sale will open for the National-Pollard Comic Opera Company, which will be seen at the Barton next Wednesday evening in a grand revival of Gilbert and Sullivan's world-famed comic opera, "The Mikado." The price scale will be as follows: Entire lower floor, $1; balcony, first seven rows, 75c; balance rows, 50c; box and loge seats, $1.50, and gallery, 25c.

HIGH SCHOOL SOLONS INDORSE INSURGENCY

Initial Meeting of Fall Term Brings Out Interesting Debate.

The members of the Fresno High School Senate held their first meeting of the fall term last night. Patterson of Oklahoma called the meeting to order with the Senate chambers filled to overflowing, many honorary senators being in attendance. Hunter of Minnesota was elected temporary chairman. The following resolution was introduced and debated:

"Resolved, That the insurgent movement in the political parties is for the best interests of the people of the United States." After an interesting debate the insurgent movement was heartily indorsed.

MEMBERSHIP MEETING TO BE HELD TUESDAY

Republican Club to Gather at Headquarters; Other Matters to Come Up.

The Young Men's Republican Club will hold a membership meeting next Tuesday night at the Republican headquarters at 1921 Mariposa street over the Fresno Savings Bank. One of the principal purposes of this meeting will be to secure new members to the club, as it is expected to make this organization the largest political organization ever known in the city of Fresno. An active campaign will be started for members and as a large number have already signified their willingness to join, it is expected that the roll will exceed the 500 mark before the election takes place. Members and prospective members are invited.

The Young Men's Republican Club is to take an active part in the campaign this fall and wherever the county central committee holds meetings throughout the county, the members of the club will attend in force to assist in carrying on the fight. Already individual members of the club are arousing interest in the campaign by urging upon all voters the importance of the issue and inviting them to take a stand for the benefit of the Republican party and the state.

GOV. SHALLENBERGER GIVES UP CONTEST

LINCOLN, Nebr., Sept. 16.—As the recount of the Democratic votes for governor of Nebraska shows Governor Shallenberger 200 behind Mayor Dahlman of Omaha, the governor has decided to give up the contest, despite the fact that he asserts legal proceedings would still give him the nomination. He says the time for the contest is too short and that any further delay would only aid the Republicans.

The recount showed a gain of 103 for Governor Shallenberger.

BIBB BROUGHT BACK.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Daniel H. Bibb, Jr., son of a wealthy lumberman, accused of having passed a worthless check for $1750 on the Humboldt Savings Bank of this city, was brought back today from Chicago where he was arrested a few days ago at the request of the local authorities.

PRECINCT COMMITTEEMEN URGED TO SECURE REGISTRATIONS

Republicans Are Requested to Find Who Have Not Yet Qualified.

All But Seven Precincts Now Have Representatives on Committee.

Ray W. Baker, secretary of the Republican county central committee, was busily engaged yesterday sending out letters to members of the county central committee urging them to see that voters in their respective precincts are registered for the general election before September 23th, at which time the registration closes. A registry clerk is at Republican headquarters over the Fresno Savings Bank and any residing in the country who wish to register may do so by going there.

The executive committee of the Republican county central committee will meet next Monday night at headquarters to plan the work for the campaign this fall. All candidates to county or legislative offices on the Republican ticket are invited to attend this meeting, as the committee feels that it can better determine what to do when it knows their wants.

J. P. Bernhard, chairman, and Ray Baker, secretary of the county committee, have been engaged for the past few days in filling out the Republican county central committee and up to date precinct committeemen have been named from all but seven precincts. The precincts thus far not represented are Black Mountain, Cantua, Chicago, Clarks Valley, Firebaugh, Lewis Creek and Warthan. The precinct committeemen were to have been named at the county convention, but as a number of precincts were not represented and other precincts wanted more time, only about half of the Republican county central committee was named.

The list of precinct committeemen as it stands to date is as follows: Arizona Colony, S. H. Redden; Arlington, M. G. Johnson; Auberry, Eli Combs; Balfour, Frid S. Turnbull; Barstow, C. C. Simpson; Belmont, C. H. B. Klette; Big Sandy, George Otto; Bryant, W. A. Marsh; Butler, C. E. Priest; Centerville, O. O. Oliver; Central Colony, W. B. Bannister; Crescent, J. C. St. Clair; Clovis No. 1, H. W. McCormick; Clovis No. 2, E. A. Fisher; Coalinga No. 1, Frank Cheney; Coalinga No. 2, E. N. Ayers; Coalinga No. 3, J. J. Long; Coalinga No. 4, T. J. Turner; Coalinga No. 5, John Hendrickson; De Wolf, D. M. Taylor; Dry Creek, F. P. South; East Fresno, Albert Nichols; Easterby, J. Y. Beveridge; Fairview, S. J. Hunter; Fancher, Albert F. Warner; Fowler, Charles P. Avenell; Fresno Colony, William O. Gross; Fresno No. 1, A. G. Wahlberg; Fresno No. 2, Henry E. Barbour; Fresno No. 3, J. F. Klumberg; Fresno No. 4, J. C. Barger; Fresno No. 5, James W. Gearhart; Fresno No. 6, Louis Heilbron; Fresno No. 7, James M. Bramblett; Fresno No. 8, Hayden F. Jones; Fresno No. 9, H. S. Whitlock; Fresno No. 10, J. M. Dugan; Fresno No. 11, Frank R. Kauke; Fresno No. 12, Seymour Hamilton; Fresno No. 13, J. D. Finchabey; Fresno No. 14, William T. Martin; Fresno No. 15, Sam B. Toombs; Fresno No. 16, Charles M. Chalup; Fresno No. 17, James M. Collins; Fresno No. 18, H. F. Briggs; Fresno No. 19, E. A. Templeton; Fresno No. 20, R. A. Fletcher; Fresno No. 21, Frank P. Love; Fresno No. 22, Michael Hilby; Fresno No. 23, W. D. McDonell; Fresno No. 24, Carl F. Baldt; Fresno No. 25, George G. Parsons; Garfield, J. H. Cadwallader; Gill, W. W. Truesdell; Gould, Charles W. Brice; Hedges, U. Grant Hayden; Houghton, Richard Raymond; Hughes Creek, W. G. Lane; Huron, John L. Haas; Hume, J. E. Robinson; Iowa, W. E. Marden; Jameson, A. G. Woodhouse; Kerman, E. H. Kauffman; Kingsburg, Levi Garrett; Laguna, Orville C. Harrington; Laton, Norman F. Densmore; Liberty, A. D. Eaton; Lucern, Hugh Tapp; Malaga, A. P. Darling; Madison, N. H. Engelsang; Magnolia, A. H. Dean; Mendota, S. J. Dutcher; Mechanicsville, John M. Stevens; Mendocino, W. J. Lohman; Mill Creek, C. M. Baker; Millerton, W. H. Bugg; Monroe, Daniel S. Likens; New Hope, Byron Wheaton; Oleander, L. V. Hatch; Panoche, J. J. Mercy; Parlier, James M. Marshall; Pine Ridge, J. C. Fanning; Placer, Cornelius Harrison; Pleasant Valley, R. C. Baker; Reedley No. 1, L. B. Cary; Reedley No. 2, H. M. Bond; Riverside, Ora E. Dillon; Sanger No. 1, S. F. Hobler; Sanger No. 2, F. C. Bennett; Scandinavian, Fred E. Lindsay; Selma No. 1, Chester Dusy; Selma No. 2, John W. Aiken; Smith Mountain, I. W. Porter; Squaw Valley, Richard Burk; Sycamore, Herbin Erwin; Temperance Colony, Phil Scott; Terry, W. J. Perce; Toll House, I. M. Bridges; Volcano, William Loper; Walnut, W. H. Shafer; Washington Colony, W. A. Graves; Watts Valley, John J. Harkins; West Park, James H. McNeil; Wildflower, J. W. Ryce.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE TO MEET

The executive committee of the Democratic county central committee will hold its first regular meeting since organization, at Democratic headquarters in the Garibaldi building this afternoon, at which time, arrangements will be made to keep a man in the headquarters permanently. The meeting will also be devoted to a discussion of the campaign and arrangements will in all probability be made for a reception to Theodore A. Bell, who will be in this city on October 4th.

ISLAND RISES FROM SEA DURING A QUAKE

SEWARD, Alaska, Sept. 16.—A new island was added to the Bogoslof group, in the Aleutian channel at the same time that the towns of Unalaska and Dutch Harbor were shaken by an earthquake on September 1st.

The island rose from deep water at a point where a sounding by the geological survey last year showed seventy fathoms. The island is in the form of a great rounded hill, very close to Perry Peak, the island that rose last year and was discovered by officers of the revenue cutter Perry.

The revenue cutter Bear, which arrived from Nome yesterday, brought this news and also reported that officers of the revenue cutter Tahoma were making a survey of the Bogoslof Islands to obtain full details of the changes. The party landed on the new island last Saturday and expected to camp there a week or ten days.

The explorers are under command

SCHOOL STUDENT BODY HAS ANNUAL ELECTION

Floyd Webster Is Chosen President of Fresno Hi Organization.

The regular annual election of officers of the Fresno High School Student Body was held yesterday afternoon. The successful students were Floyd Webster, president; W. D. Hunter, vice president; Mila Cearley, secretary; Ralph Rehorn, treasurer; Louis Archibald, yell leader.

Mr. Scoville and Miss Minard of the high school faculty were chosen as members of the executive board. The election was a spirited one with several candidates in the field for each office. The result was close and the winners were not known until all the ballots had been counted.

UNITARIANS WILL OPEN CHURCH TOMORROW MORNING

Unique Bungalow Structure at O and Tuolumne Is Artistic Success.

Will Be Used for General Public Service as Well as Religious.

Tomorrow the Unitarians of the city for the first time will hold services in their own building, the new structure at the corner of O and Tuolumne streets. The church, which is the fruition of some fifteen years of hopes and plans of the local congregation, is now practically completed. Only the seats for the main structure, which are now on the way from Chicago, are awaited for the dedication. They are expected shortly after the 20th. The formal dedication will be held early next month.

A distinct departure from the accepted lines of architecture in religious structures, the new church has impressed all who have seen it with its peculiar beauty. The building is an adaptation of the bungalow type of structure so popular in the southern and central parts of the state. It has a double gable, one on O street and one on Tuolumne street. There is no steeple.

No paint has been used in the building, artistic staining being substituted to bring out the natural beauties of the wood grain. The exterior is of stained boards, while the roof is shingled.

Apparently of two stories in height, the main auditorium is 42 feet by 50 feet. In front of it is curtained off a ten-foot vestibule. The speaker's platform to be occupied by the pulpit, is 20 feet wide. Back of this platform extends a social parlor, 34 feet by 50. This room will be used also for the Sunday school. As the partitions for this room are curtains, the main auditorium, vestibule, and social room can be thrown together whenever the size of the audience makes the large apartment desirable.

The seats in the main auditorium will be opera chairs finished in mahogany, ranged in steps. There will be 280 on the first floor and 150 in the balcony.

The general effect of the interior finishing will be Flemish oak. Many unique and tasteful ideas have been carried out in the finishing of the entire building.

Bodily comforts have not been neglected, and an up-to-date heating plant has been installed. There will be plenty of light and ventilation. Seventy-eight windows are in the building.

FOR GENERAL USE.

While the structure will be the home of the First Unitarian church of Fresno, the building will be available for lectures, choral concerts, and other purposes of service to the general public. Ultimately a pipe organ is to be installed.

Rev. Thomas Clayton, the church's pastor, will preach the opening sermon. The service will be held Sunday in the social room.

The plans were drawn up by C. K. Kirby, Jr., and include the ideas of several members of the congregation. Dr. Chester Rowell, the mayor, is president of the board of trustees for the church.

The building is to cost $12,000, and both structure and lots have been secured by the church. It was built by day work under the direction of W. H. Harmon.

The church has been in existence here the past thirty years. It was formally organized some twenty years ago and has a vigorous existence, although the congregation has never met in its own building. Rev. Clayton, the present pastor, has been in Fresno since last May. English by birth, he was for the past eight years pastor of the Unitarian church in Pittsburg, Pa.

NEW COAL FIELD IN NORTH IS REPORTED

SEWARD, Alaska, Sept. 16.—Prospectors returning from Knik Arm, a branch of Cook's Inlet, report the discovery of an immense field of bituminous coal that promises to be of more value than even the fabulously rich Matanuska deposits. Alfred H. Brooks, head of the Alaska mineral resources division of the geological survey, who is here, is taking steps to investigate the new field thoroughly. Mr. Brooks has just completed a study of the Matanuska field and will send an exhaustive report to Washington.

OLD PRIEST DYING.

OAKLAND, Sept. 16.—Rev. Father Thomas McSweeny, pastor of St. Francis De Sales Catholic church of this city for the past twenty-five years and one of the best known priests in the West, is dying here following an attack of hylcophs. Father McSweeny has been prominently identified with church work on this coast since 1881.

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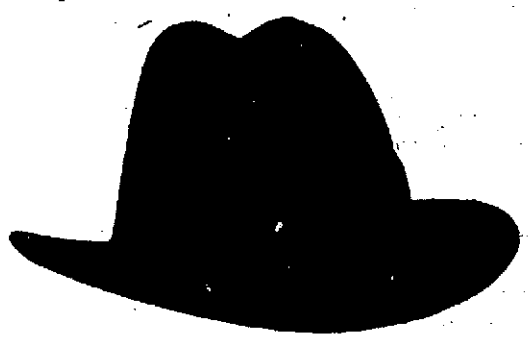

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SANTA CRUZ INDIGNANT OVER REPORT OF THE HEALTH BOARD

Chamber of Commerce There Says Sanitary Affairs Are Good.

Dr. Aiken Asserts Cases of Infectious Disease Have Started There.

City Health Officer Dr. Aiken stirred up a hornet's nest in criticising the sanitary conditions of Santa Cruz, as reflected in cases of contagious diseases reported to have come to Fresno from the beach city. The Chamber of Commerce, roused to action by the report, took the matter up. The following letter has been received from Secretary Culin H. McIsaac of that body:

Santa Cruz, Cal., Sept. 15, 1910.

Editor Republican:—Referring to article in the Republican under date of 13th inst., in which you quote Dr. Aiken, health officer of Fresno, as having stated that several cases of typhoid fever at present existing in Fresno were contracted in Santa Cruz, where sanitary conditions are unsatisfactory and in condition to favor the contraction of disease.

We feel called upon to refute this error at once, and in no uncertain terms. Dr. C. H. Anderson, health officer of Santa Cruz, is authority for the statement that there is not a single case of typhoid in Santa Cruz at present, and that we have not for a long time had a case of that kind which originated here. Our water supply is pure and wholesome, and other sanitary conditions excellent, as they would necessarily have to be in order to maintain our health standard during the congested summer season when we are visited by thousands of strangers, a large percentage of whom come because of a "run down" condition of the system, if not an actual state of ill health. We can only repeat that the sanitary conditions of Santa Cruz in so far as our municipality is responsible therefor, are first class, and will bear unprejudiced investigations; while the proximity to mountain and sea, the refreshing sea breezes, equable temperature, and abundant sunshine so far surpass many other localities less favorably situated that comparison is impossible.

In conclusion we can only say that it would seem that ordinary intermunicipal courtesy and common fairness should dictate a policy of hesitancy and thorough investigation and proof before the malignant cases of illness occurring in one community are attributed to laxness in the sanitary methods of another community.

Very respectfully,
SANTA CRUZ CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.
By John H. McIsaac, Secretary.

The ire of the Santa Cruz residents was aroused by some statements in the monthly report of Dr. Aiken as city health officer, made at the regular meeting of the latter body last Monday evening. The passage referred to speaks as follows, in regard to some cases of typhoid fever:

"The source of this infection was impossible to determine, but it has been proven that fully seven-tenths of our typhoid cases are brought into this city from adjoining towns. With hardly an exception each season our visitors to the sea coast have brought back some contagious disease, especially from Santa Cruz. I presume on the principle of 'hurting business', they have been completely ignoring all quarantine measures."

At the meeting there was some discussion as to the advisability of specifically mentioning Santa Cruz, as many Fresnans visit that resort, but the report was allowed to stand as read, as it was believed that the statement would do more harm than good to Santa Cruz.

"MISUNDERSTOOD"—AIKEN.

"I never stated that cases of typhoid came from Santa Cruz," said Dr. Aiken last night when the letter from the Santa Cruz Chamber of Commerce was read to him. "I did state that cases of infectious diseases have come from there. Personally I have attended cases of scarlet fever, measles and whooping cough where the victims had just returned from Santa Cruz.

"From reports by the patients I have heard that the conditions at Santa Cruz have been abominable, and I have nothing to retract on that score. I do not know of the sanitary conditions there personally, but have heard definitely from patients that quarantine regulations there are not observed, presumably from unwillingness to have knowledge of such cases made public.

"Possibly the sanitary conditions of Santa Cruz are first class this year. We have had no cases of infectious diseases from there this year. In past seasons, however, there has been continual complaint of bad conditions.

"In my report I did state that fully seven-tenths of our typhoid cases are brought from adjoining towns. By that I meant that they are brought from towns in this immediate neighborhood, as in the county."

It is asserted in Santa Cruz that no place in California has more attention paid to sanitation and quarantine than that city. It is also affirmed that there has been no case of typhoid in Santa Cruz for several months and no epidemic trouble at any time.

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FARMER SUES OUT WRIT TO RECOVER ADOPTED DAUGHTER

Home Finding Agent Took Her From Temporary Custody in Clovis.

Suit to Recover Deposit on Land Sale; Jap Divorce Case in Court.

W. H. Elwell, a well to do farmer living near Clovis, sued out a writ of habeas corpus yesterday afternoon to recover custody of his adopted child, Edith M. Elwell, aged 10 years. The writ was granted by Judge Austin and made returnable before him this forenoon.

The child was taken from Elwell on Wednesday last by one Naffhager, representing himself to be an officer of the California Home Finding Association, and the removal was made under the following circumstances according to the statement of Elwell made to his attorney, E. A. Williams, yesterday before making application for the writ.

Elwell, it appears, was divorced from a first wife here and had the custody of the child ever since her second year, having been appointed guardian while a resident of Minnesota. Elwell remarried and presumably while on the honeymoon placed the child temporarily in the care of Mrs. J. C. Hobbitt of Clovis, and there she was under proper surroundings when the agent of the home finding association called on him three or four days ago.

Elwell says he is a law-abiding citizen and has respect for the law's officers and so did not doubt the truth of the agent's statement when he declared to him that by placing the child in some one else's care he forfeited his guardianship rights. At any rate this was Elwell's construction of the conversation which he says Naffhager confirmed by the reading of a printed page which he represented to be the law on the subject. Elwell says he was asked to produce his guardianship papers, and doing so the visiting agent declared they were of no further legal effect and pocketed them.

Elwell further told his attorney that the agent informed him that his society finds homes for neglected and abandoned children and finding a home for Edith M. Elwell, the foster parent would be called upon to deposit $1000 with the society for the care and education of the child until she should come to the age of 18 years.

Under the circumstances, Elwell confesses, he was puzzled how to act in the matter at the moment, though he says he declared he had never abandoned the child and that her placing with Mrs. Hobbitt was only a temporary affair. He says he asked for time to be advised as to his rights and was informed that there were no rights to be advised on. Last Wednesday, he says, he saw Naffhager about to leave Clovis with the child, and, kissing the latter good bye, came to town yesterday with his wife and consulted Attorney Williams, with the result stated.

TO RECOVER A DEPOSIT.

H. H. Cloyd has sued Amello Sembenetti and Angelo Zaccheo to recover $300 claimed to be due in a real estate transaction. In February last Cloyd agreed to buy lot 37 of Clay's addition to Fresno for $4100, namely $200 cash, $900 upon delivery of sale deed to the property, $2300 by assumption of mortgage and the balance of $700 by conveyance to them of the property at 711 E street, the $200 to be repaid if title was defective. Title was found to be defective and a further agreement was made to convey a good and marketable title in consideration of Cloyd's forbearance and in order to obtain a loan of $2300 with interest not to exceed 7½ per cent on mortgage on the land. Said sum was to be applied on the purchase price from Annie L. Clay of Oakland and they were to convey to Cloyd by deed with title free save for the mortgage, Cloyd to have possession with the crops, but upon failure they to repay him $200 upon his vacating the premises. There has been failure to do all these things and hence the suit.

DIVORCE ACTIONS.

The trial of the contested case of Osa Sumida against Nagataro Sumida has been postponed before Judge Church until the 28th. She sues him for divorce for failure to provide because of idleness, profligacy and dissipation. The case is the third on record in this county of Japanese seeking divorce.

The papers were filed here on transfer from San Francisco county in the divorce case of Dorothy G. Free against Arthur M. Free, the dentist. She has also pending an application for $200 monthly alimony.

Complaint was filed by Laura I. Janes asking for divorce from William I. Janes and by Maud C. Elliott from Charles R. Elliott.

CASES POSTPONED.

Pronouncing of sentence upon Frank Brock, barefooted burglar, was postponed until this morning.

Trial of J. L. Holman for complicity in the forgery of a Santa Fe railroad time check in the name of Lee Miller was continued without date at his request.

DEPOSITION FILED.

The sealed deposition taken in San Francisco of the plaintiff was filed yesterday in the case of P. C. Taylor, suing James A. Ward for money damages for the alleged alienation of the wife's affections.

THE REEDLEY FIRE DISTRICT

Record was made yesterday by the filing by F. S. Knauer, J. W. Shipe and J. E. Saile as fire commissioners of a certificate that the fire district for the town of Reedley will comprise and include all the land described as the southwest quarter of the norwest quarter and the west half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter and south half of northeast quarter of 27-15-22. The commissioners also report the result of an election at which 100 voted in favor and 43 against the tax of $3,000 to be levied upon the property of the original town of Reedley comprising the fire district. The supervisors have been asked to levy this tax.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, wish to thank our many friends for their kindness during the illness and burial of our mother; also for the numerous floral offerings.

Signed—Charlie Imperatrice, Tony Imperatrice, Dominnick Imperatrice Josephine Imperatrice, Antonio and Rosa Di Gaetono.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their floral offerings and erpecially the Elks and Eagles, also the soloists, Mrs. Murdock and Mrs. Connelly.

W. W. MACHEN AND FAMILY.

Bagby's Livery Stable. Main 335.

OFFICIAL COUNT OF PUBLIC FUNDS

Treasurer Hickman Has $77,500 Out on Certified Deposits in Bank.

The count of the cash in the county treasury was made yesterday afternoon by Supervisor Chairman Martin and Auditor Barnum for the county and by Mayor Rowell, Attorney Rauke and Deputy Clerk Dunn for the city. The reported statement is as follows for the county money:

Cash September 1st	$387,222.48
Received	4,912.24
Total	$392,134.72
Warrants paid	$ 61,455.33
Balance Sept. 16th	$330,679.39
City money figured up:	
Cash September 1st	$ 44,436.95
Received	7,819.98
Total	$ 52,256.93
Warrants paid	$ 15,291.75
Balance Sept. 16th	$ 36,965.18
Special funds showed	
Miscellaneous	$ 14,481.83
Received to date	172.28
Paid out	784.48
Balance	$ 13,619.63
Grand total	$381,464.20
Classification of coin is as follows:	
Gold	$ 6,365.00
Silver	265.40
Currency	30,704.33
Warrants	100.00
Certificates	509.47
Loan, 2 per cent	206,000.00
In vault	60,000.00
Certificates of deposit	77,500.00

CLOSE CONTRACT FOR DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS

Gorgeous Settings Will Feature "Fresno Day" at October Fair.

The board of directors of the Fresno Fair Association yesterday closed a contract for a display of fireworks at the coming county fair. The display will cost $2,000 and will be the most gorgeous of its kind in the history of Fresno. Three times the amount of fireworks shown at the state fair will be "touched off" here. The fireworks display is billed for Wednesday night, October 5, which is "Fresno Day."

Some idea of the extent of the proposed display may be gained from the following program:

Opening salute of thirteen guns.

Illumination of the whole grounds by numerous large color changing bengolas.

Set Piece, the Loco Wheel, so-called by the Mexicans because of its erratic and laughable evolutions.

Signal rockets of the newest hues.

Pastel bombs.

Seven repeater shells.

Set piece, Avenue of Golden Palms, interlaced with Jewels.

Batteries of Golden Feathers.

Shells of Diamonds in golden setting.

Shells of Emerald in silver setting.

Volley of Hissing Cobras.

Volley of Silver Saucissons.

Umbrellas of Girl.

Rockets with calliope effects, three distinct notes.

Shells with three distinct displays.

Batteries of liquid silver.

Set Piece, Electric Constellation, a grouping of electro radiants, with intense illumination and many changes of design.

Pyroplanes, a new idea, defying the laws of gravitation, swooping and careening on the principle of an aeroplane, but chemically driven.

The Hanging Chain Shell.

Neapolitan repeat shell, making five distinct reports.

Set Piece, the Noble Red Man, portraying an heroic figure of an Indian in feathers and war paint, standing erect with drawn bow, a fluttering owl appears in tree top 100 yards distant; the Indian draws bow and with unfailing arm fetched down his screaching pray.

Rockets, with cornocopea effects.

Rockets, with telescopic effects.

The Harlequan Shell, the choicest of fireworks.

Thunder and lightening, nearly real produced by volley of shells.

Batters of Klondyke Nugets.

Set Piece, the Dove Cote, from which fiery doves fly to and fro, in a mysterious manner.

An Aerial Masterpiece—A single projectile making ten distinct displays, each one equivalent to a single bomb of large dimensions.

Pyrotechnic spectacle.

The Railroad Collision, employing two full size, perfect working fireworks locomotives, standing on track 1000 feet apart, steam up, bells ringing. They are off and with increasing speed rush down track to destruction. Vivid and thrilling finale.

MERCY DISTRICT IS SAVED FROM LAPSING

Trustees Counted for Enrollment on Census and Not School Age Pupils.

The suspended school in the Mercy district, located almost inaccessibly in Little Panoche canyon, will be reopened at once. Superintendent Lindsay braved the rainstorm on his drive from Dos Palos and saved himself from the deluge by sheltering himself under cover of a deserted barn on the West Side plains. He is glad that he made the journey, because but for his discovery the district might not be reestablished and possibly would have lapsed. It appears that the school trustees figured on census children, ranging from 5 to 17 years of age instead of school age children, from 6 to 21, in estimating a possible enrollment. Mr. Lindsay found one or more boys about 17 years of age anxious to go to school, and these with the other accessions made up the number of eight to re-establish and reopen the school.

Obeyed His Wife.

Former Vice President Fairbanks is reported as saying that while he was on his way home from his trip around the world there was a man and his wife with their little son aboard.

Both husband and wife were very seasick during the voyage. But little Johnnie enjoyed ship life immensely. One day the little fellow did something that displeased his mother very much.

By way of punishment she asked her husband to speak to the boy. With what little strength he seemed to have left, he turned and said: "How do you do, Johnnie?"—From an Exchange.

S. S. LUNG TONIC

Is the best remedy for coughs, colds and hoarseness. Try it. Only at Smith Bros.' Drug Store.

RAISINS.

When ready to sell your raisins or dried fruit, see Chaddock & Co., at Fowler or Fresno.

PRESENT REGISTRATION EXCEEDS THAT OF 1908 BY 400

About 1000 Have Registered Since Recent Primary Election.

Total for General Election Expected to Exceed 1908 by 1500.

The registration of voters in Fresno county at the present time exceeds the total registration for 1908 by about 400 according to a careful estimate made yesterday. It was impossible yesterday to get the exact number of voters registered since the primary election, owing to the fact that a number of names have been cancelled and several registration deputies now have books out.

A close estimate, however, places the additions to the total for the primary election at 1000. It is now believed that there will be about a thousand more registrations before the registration closes on the 25th of this month.

David M. Barnwell, deputy county clerk, stated yesterday that there is no rush of registration at the present time and that practically all the qualified electors now being secured are men who have been indifferent about registering. All who want to vote and be active in the campaign, he asserted, have registered.

The total registration in Fresno county when the books were closed for the primary election was 15,167, while the total registration for the general election in 1908 was 15,739. By estimating that 1000 voters have registered since the primary, the total registration is brought up to about 16,100, or a gain of about 400. It is believed that the total registration for the county for the general election will exceed that of 1908 by about 1500, bringing the total registration up to about 17,200.

The voters registering now are largely residents of the country and it is stated that only a small proportion of the new registrations are from the city of Fresno. The large proportion of country registrations is probably due to the fact that a large number of candidates are now working in the country and practically all of them are registering voters.

MUST FORFEIT JEWELS AND PAY BIG FINE

Mrs. W. C. Graves Heavily Assessed by Customs Officials.

Mrs. Walker C. Graves of San Francisco, well-known in Fresno, being the daughter of the late Jefferson G. James, must pay $225 and forfeit a gold watch and some jewelry for neglecting to declare to custom officials a box of jewelry. The box was found by inspectors in the purser's room of the steamer China. Mrs. Graves resents the charge by a customs official that she was trying to smuggle in jewelry valued at $1,000, saying the contents of the box were not worth more than $75. Mrs. Graves explained to Collector of the port Stratton that she had forgotten the jewel case.

A MARINE LIFTING MAGNET.

A novel experiment is being made near New Orleans, where a barge load of kegged nails is being raised by means of a large lifting magnet. A load of cotton ties, sunk near Natchez will be next taken up, while a load of woven wire, sunk near Pittsburg, will be the third task.

The magnet used in the work is three and one-half feet in diameter, and weighs 3000 pounds. It is dropped into the stream, the current turned on and five or six kegs of nails raised to the lift. A derrick is employed for the purpose. The nails weigh 200 pounds to the keg, so the magnet lifts from 1000 to 1200 pounds each trial.

A great saving is being realized by the use of the magnet which could not be otherwise effected. Were a dredge used kegs would be broken open and much of the valuable material lost. In this way the kegs are raised intact and the nails are uninjured, except for slight rust. Between 55 and 95 percent of the cargo can be raised. It is valued at $45 the ton.

The kegs are raised from a depth of seventy feet. The cotton ties are strips of steel used in fastening cotton bales.—Electrical Record.

BUILDING PERMITS

Granted building permits are these.

T. A. Pattus as agent for Kerman Construction Company, to build a $8000 vaudeville theater for the Fresno Theater Company on J street on the site of the Grand Central stables.

F. F. Cady to make a $300 addition to a building on lots 5 and 6, Central addition, block 5.

J. S. Tannahill for $900 addition to dwelling on lots 9 and 10, Altamont addition, block 9.

AN UNMANNED LIGHTSHIP

There is stationed off the island of Islay, on the west coast of Scotland, at the Otter Rock an interesting lightship. It is unmanned, yet it can be relied on to display the warning light to guide the mariner on this dangerous coast. It is a very ingeniously constructed vessel and the only one of its kind. In its two steel tanks sufficient gas can be stored to supply the vessel for several months.

Experiments have shown that the light may be depended upon to burn continuously for months at a time. The approximate duration of the light can always be predetermined, and there is no danger whatever of the light being extinguished by wind or spray.

The light is visible at a distance of from 8 to 12 miles. The lightship also has a bell, which is made to ring automatically by means of an ingenious device that utilizes the gas as it passes from the tanks to the lantern to work the bell clapper.—Harper's Weekly.

A gentleman formerly attached to the American embassy at London tells how an old country sexton in a certain English town, in showing visitors around the churchyard, used to step at one tombstone and say:

"This 'ere is the tomb of 'Enry 'Ooper an' 'is eleven wolves."

"Eleven!" exclaimed a tourist, on one occasion. "Dear me! That's rather a lot, isn't it?"

Whereupon the sexton, looking gravely at his questoner, replied:

"Well, mum, yer see, t was an 'obby of 'is'n."—From Harper's Magazine.

Shoe Bargains For Saturday

New Fall Footwear for Men, Women and Children, Specially Priced for Today Only

$2.50 a Pair for Women's Button Shoes Worth $3.50 a Pair

Gun metal calf, patent kid and vici kid shoes; genuine Goodyear welt soles; new short vamp, high toe last; new Cuban heels.

Boys' $1.50 Calfskin School Shoes, on Sale for 95c a Pair; sizes 9 to 13 1-2.

Men's $4.00 Dress Shoes, on Sale for $2.95 a Pair

Gun metal calf, patent kid and vici kid shoes; hand sewed soles; new Fall styles; button or blucher; all sizes.

Misses' $1.75 School Shoes on Sale for $1.15 a pair; Sizes 11 1-2 to 2

Red Goose and Educator Shoes for Boys and Girls

The most widely known and best made shoes in America, cost no more than the ordinary kind. We are sole agents for these shoes in Fresno.

Girls' $2.50 gun metal calf school shoes, on sale for **$1.65** a pair; sizes 2 to 5.

Boys' $2.50 Box Calf Shoes, on sale for **$1.65** a pair; sizes 2 1-2 to 5 1-2.

Youth's $2.25 gun metal school shoes, on sale for **$1.65** a pair; sizes 13 1-2 to 2.

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CAMERON'S HOME RUN BEATS ANGELS; SEALS LOSE TO HAP HOGAN'S

JACK LIVELY HURLS OAKS TO HOLLOW VICTORY

Don Cameron's Four-Cushion Slam Slips Crusher on the Angels.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 16.—Before he was notified of the order indefinitely suspending him for participation in the affair with Umpire McGreevy yesterday, Don Cameron, the Oakland first baseman, batted his team to a 6 to 5 victory over Los Angeles at Vernon. He hit a homer in the fifth that brought in two runs. Both Cameron and Wolverton received notice of their suspension after the game and will not play tomorrow.

Lively was the real hero of the game, however, striking out ten men in the fourth, he fanned the Angel batters one, two, three, pitching but twelve balls. The score:

LOS ANGELES.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO	A.	E.
Daley, cf	4	0	3	0	0	0	0
Bernard, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Howard, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	2	0
Dillon, 1b	4	0	0	0	17	1	0
Murphy, lf	4	1	0	0	2	0	1
Hallinan, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	3	0
Delmas, ss	4	1	2	0	2	4	0
Smith, c	2	3	0	1	3	1	0
Delhi, p	3	0	0	0	0	5	1
*Waring	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	5	6	2	27	16	2

OAKLAND.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO	A.	E.
Maggert, 'f	4	2	1	0	0	0	0
Wares, ss	3	0	0	0	1	2	0
Hogan, 3b	3	1	0	0	0	1	1
Cameron, 1b	4	1	2	0	10	0	0
Cutshaw, 2b	4	0	0	0	3	3	0
Ffyl, cf	3	2	2	0	0	0	1
Swander, rf	3	0	1	0	1	0	0
Thomas, c	3	0	1	0	12	1	0
Lively, p	4	0	0	0	0	2	0
Harkins, p	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	31	6	7	0	27	11	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Los Angeles	010 010 102—5
Base hits	011 010 102—6
Oakland	110 030 010—6
Base hits	120 120 010—7

*—Waring batted for Delhi in 8th.

SUMMARY.

Hits—Off Lively, 6. Home run—Cameron. Three base hit—Ffyl. Two base hits—Swander, Delmas, 2; Daley, Waring. Sacrifice hits—Wares, 2; Hogan, Thomas, Hallinan, Swander, Bernard, Daley. Inhings pitched by Lively, 8. Bases on balls—Off Delhi, 2; Lively, 4; Harkins, 1. Struck out—by Delhi, 3; Lively, 10. Passed ball—Thomas. Time—1:50. Umpire—Mc-Greevy.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 16.—Chicago won today's game, 4 to 3. The visitors knocked Moore off the rubber in the first inning when they scored four runs on four hits, a base on balls and a sacrifice fly. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	4	14	1
Philadelphia	3	6	0

Batteries—McIntyre and Kling; Moore, Brennan and Dooin.
Umpires—Emslie and Rigler.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—New York took the last game of the series from Pittsburg today, 3 to 1. The visitors were shut out until the ninth inning, scoring then on Leach's triple and Wagner's single. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	1	5	3
New York	3	7	4

Batteries — Leifield, Ferry and Gibson; Mathewson and Myers.
Umpires — O'Day and Johnstone.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 16. — Covaleskv, who made a great record in the Southern League, continued his great work for Cincinnati today, beating Brooklyn, 7 to 3, and striking out twelve batters. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	7	5	1
Brooklyn	3	6	4

Batteries —Covaleskv and Clarke; Bell and Bergen.
Umpires — Klem and Kane.

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—Boston beat St. Louis, 7 to 2, by timely hitting in the seventh and eighth. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	7	11	2
St. Louis	2	12	2

Batteries — Brown, Mattern and Graham; Lush and Phelps.
Umpires—Brennan and Eason.

CLOSING HOURS IN BIG GOLF TOURNEY

BROOKLINE, Mass., Sept. 16.—The mid-west will meet the western edge of the east for the amateur golf champion of the country at the Country Club tomorrow. The winners in the semi-final round were Warren K. Wood of the Homewood Club, Chicago, and William C. Fownes, Jr., of the Oakmont Country Club, Pittsburg.

The losers, both of whom went down on the home green, were Walter R. Tuckerman of the Stockbridge Golf Club and Charles J. Evans of the Edgewater Golf Club, Chicago. Wood won from Tuckerman by two up, and Fownes from Evans by one up.

Wood made the course in 73, the best score since Herreshoff's fine work Wednesday.

ENVY THE BACHELOR GIRL.

Conditions Have Changed and She Is No Longer Pitied.

Not so very long ago the married woman looked down with pity upon her unmarried friend as she gave entertainments and went to balls and theater parties and had a good time generally while the unmarried one stayed at home. Now things have grown so much in the favor of the single woman that her married friend often envies her liberty, her youthful appearance, caused by the absence of household cares, and, above all, her income, which she can spend as she wills without asking any one's permission. And indeed there are worse things than being a bachelor girl nowadays. Women are firmly established in the business world, and they are beginning to be paid large salaries, which would satisfy many a man. They can go almost anywhere without an escort—to the theater, to dinner at many of the restaurants, and to nearly every kind of evening affair.

The prosperous, clever bachelor girl is in as great demand as the bachelor man for week-ends. She is much more entertaining than the stay-at-home girl, and her bright ways and smart costumes make her a dangerous rival for the married flirt, who has had things her own way for so long.

Last and not least, she is able to lay aside money for her old age, which many a married woman worries over, and perhaps buy a home in the country which may be hers no matter what befalls.—Boston Herald.

COAST LEAGUE DIRECTORS ARE IN FAVOR OF TWO MORE CLUBS

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Meeting in executive session tonight, the directors of the Pacific Coast League began the consideration of the two matters most prominent in the affairs of the Pacific coast baseball club world at this time—the expansion of the Coast League from six to eight teams and the institution of a uniform double umpire system in all cities where the scheduled games are played. Those president at the meeting were President Thomas F. Graham, Congressman W. W. McCredie, Portland; Charles Graham, Sacramento; W. H. Hogan, Vernon; Henry Berry, Los Angeles; Edward Walters, Oakland; J. Cal Ewing, San Francisco, and Secretary Danny Long. D. W. Dugdale of Seattle was present at the hotel as a guest of the directors and was in conference with the baseball magnates before they adjourned to the private rooms.

The feeling expressed by the managers of the clubs in California is that two new teams from the northern territory, both Washington or Oregon, should be acquired for next season to be placed in competition with the six teams now in the league. It is understood that the men from the north edvocate the expulsion of some clubs now in the league and the acceptance of three additional teams to be selected from the clubs now playing for Vancouver, Tacoma, Seattle and Spokane or reorganized clubs representing three of these cities.

No definite agreement has been reached and it is doubtful if the matter will be adjusted finally until the directors gather in their regular yearly meeting in January, 1911.

When the executive session was over it was announced that a committee of the directors consisting of Walters, Berry and McCredie had been appointed to go to Portland during the first week in October and investigate conditions. The committee will be expected to report upon the advisability of taking in all of the clubs of the Northwestern League that were mentioned tonight in the conference and making the Pacific Coast League an organization of ten teams instead of six. Dugdale of Seattle favors this plan, but Cal Ewing says that he will never agree to anything but an eight team league, with only two of the Northwesterners included.

TRACY, DICKINSON, BILL KELLY, BATH AND BANTA JOIN COYOTES

MADERA, Sept. 16.—Manager Dick Roberts will take with him a greatly strengthened team to Modesto Sunday to play the 'Reds" of that place, and he is confident that he will bring home the bacon. He has secured new men to fill some of the positions and the team that will go to Modesto will have only one of the original Coyotes in the lineup. That is Henry Preciado, who has been playing the second sack, and local fans will watch with considerable interest his performance in fast company. It was the intention to use Ben Preciado, the clever first baseman, but Ben will have to play the bench, as he tore the nail off his little finger last night while at practice.

The new lineup will consist of fast men and good stickers and they will bring home the bacon or the manager will miss his guess greatly. The new lineup is as follows:

Banta, c.; Brant, p.; Bath, 1b.; Kelly, 2b.; Mundorff, 3b.; Franck, ss.; H. Preciado, lf.; Dickenson, cf.; Tracy, rf.

There will be no excursion to Bakersfield, but a large crowd of fans will go with the team to root it on to victory.

STUDENTS HOLD RALLY TO DISCUSS FOOTBALL

The initial football rally of the term was held at Fresno High school yesterday afternoon. Chris Momson, captain of the 1910 squad, addressed the students, asking their hearty support in making the Purple and Gold wave above all other high school colors in the San Joaquin valley. Momson was cheered vociferously for his brief remarks. Professor Liddeke, the principal of the school, also addressed the students.

Liddeke declared that he was in favor of the Rugby style of football and would like very much to have the system adopted in Fresno Hi. However, the students are not in favor of Rugby and for the present season at least the Purple and Gold eleven will stick to the American collegiate game. With twenty-five candidates out for places on the team, the coming football season gives promise of developing a crack squad.

ANACONDA ENTRIES

First race, six furlongs, selling, 3-year-olds and up—Electrowan, Yama, Gelico, 105; Sir Angus, Lee Harrison II, Emma G., David Warfield, Cool, Zoe Young, 111; *New Capital, 91; Galene Gale, 96; Capewell, 102.

Second race, five and half furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, selling—Thistle Belle, 112; Hannah Louise, 103; Begone, 108; Del Cruzador, 110; Madeline Musgrave, *Sake, 100; Metropolitan, 96; Donovan, 99; Native Son, 105.

Third race, five furlongs, selling, all ages—Zick Abrams, Tramator, 119; Bill Mayham, Bitter Sir, 114; Warfare, 108; Saintox, Big Eldorado, 102; He Knows, 114; Robert Mitchell, *Sainest, 109; Othnie, Kinfolks, 97.

Fourth race, one mile, The Anaconda Handicap, 3-year-olds and up—Beauman, John Louis, 106; Harlem Maid, Edwin T. Fryer, 103; Rosevale, 105; Queen Lead, 95; Miles, 105.

Fifth race, mile and 70 yards, selling, 3-year-olds and up—Howard Pearson, 97; Ramon Carona, J. C. Clem, 98; Cabin, Sir John, 104; Tug Boat, Roy Junior, 104; *Miss Picnic, 94.

Sixth race, six furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, selling—Young Belle, *Gramercy, Brighton, 98; McNally Ornate, Roy T., John J. Rogers, 109; Gossiper II, *Convent Belle, 104; Rey El Toxar, 101; Thomas Calhoun, 112; Sona, 103.

*—Apprentice allowance.

SAYS COMPANIES GAVE TO ALL CANDIDATES

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The admission that every corporation with which he had ever been identified had not contributed to political campaign funds, but had contributed to the campaign fund of "everybody that ever ran for office," was made on the stand today by H. H. Vreeland, former president of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, who was the star witness before the Merritt investigating committee.

Mr. Vreeland could be made to specify only amounts for the year 1903. During that year the corporation of which he was then president, the Metropolitan Security Company, had contributed $20,000 to $25,000 to the Republican state committee, and $17,000 to $18,000 to the Democratic state committee. The company may have also made campaign contributions locally, but the witness was not positive on that point.

MEXICANS CELEBRATE.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 16.—The Mexican legation gave a reception today in celebration of the centenary of the independence of Mexico.

OAKLAND COASTERS DRAFT N. LYNCH OF VISALIA

Pirate Outfielder Goes to Harry Wolverton's Pennant Chasers.

AUBURN, N. Y., Sept. 16.—John H. Farrell, secretary of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, today gave out the following list of drafted players in Class A and AA. More than $50,000 was deposited with Secretary Farrell for the drafted men. The list in part follows:

Selected by draft (chosen by lot):

Los Angeles, from Hartford, Metzger.

Oakland, from Visalia, N. Lynch.

Oakland, from Waterbury, Banister.

Birmingham, from Seattle, Chenault.

Portland, Ore., from Waterbury, Rodgers.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 16.—Nineteen players were drafted from the minor leagues during the two weeks, September 1 to September 15, the additional period allowed by the national agreement. Cleveland with seven and Boston Americans with six additional drafted players head the list.

MEADOW WINS AGAIN AT OVERLAND TRACK

OVERLAND PARK, DENVER, Sept. 15.—Meadow again proved the class of the horses racing at Overland today. The race was Meadow's fourth straight victory at the Overland meeting.

RESULTS

First race, mile, pacing—Hal Collins, took first and second heats and race in 2:14¼ and 2:18. Honway was second in both heats.

Second race, 5½ furlongs, selling—Hidden Hand, 1 to 1, won; Force, 8 to 1, second; Creston even third. Time 1.06 3-5.

Third race, 5½ furlongs, selling—Meadow, 4 to 5, won, Sixteen, 20 to 1, second, Fundamental, 6 to 5, third. Time 1:06 1-5.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Lady McNally, 8 to 1, won; Nila, 8 to 5, second; Clysmic, 6 to 5, third. Time 1.15.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs, selling—Autumn Rose, 5 to 1, won; Orbicular, 11 to 20, second; Ocean Queen, 3 to 2, third. Time 1:27 3-5.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs, selling—Masonia, 11 to 10, won; Fred Mulholland, 2 to 5, second; Father Stafford, 3 to 5, third. Time 1:27.

HALSEY CLAIMS JUDGE DUNNE UNFAIR TO HIM

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—An affidavit asking for a change of venue from Judge Dunne's department of the Superior Court was filed today by Theodore V. Halsey, former special agent of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company, accused of having bribed the Schmitz board of supervisors. Halsey charges Judge Dunne with bias and prejudice against him.

Affidavits of several persons, asserting that Halsey is too ill to appear for trial, accompanied his request that his case be transferred to another department of the court.

MINOR HEIR PACES MILE IN 1:58 1-4; LOWERS HIS OWN RECORD

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 16.—Minor Heir, son of Heir of Law, again broke the world's record for a paced mile today at the state fair grounds, going the distance in 1:58¼. The former record was 1:59, which Minor Heir himself set in a race here last Monday.

Today, driven by Hersey, and in company with a runner, his time by quarters was:

29 3-4, 59 1-2, 1:28 1-2, 1:58 1-2.

GOODMAN WINS FROM HYLAND OF CALIFORNIA

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Jack Goodman of New York and "Fighting" Dick Hyland of California slugged through ten rounds tonight in a closely contested bout before the National Sporting Club of America. The general opinion of the house seemed to be that Goodman was entitled to the honors.

HARNESS RACING

SALEM, Ore., Sept. 16.—Fair Grounds results:

2:20 trot, purse $800—Professor Heald, won; Dollie McKinney, second; Dan McKinney, third. Best time, 2:29¾.

Consolation, 2:08 pace, purse $1000—Lord Lovelace, won; Josephine, second; Ray O'Light, third. Best time, 2:23¾.

Special 2:05 pace, purse $1000—Sherlock Holmes, won; Texas Rooker, second; Solano Boy, third. Best time, 2:24¾.

One mile, running, purse $100—Hector won; St. Salvania, second; Estella, third. Time, 1:46½.

Three furlongs, purse $75—Roxy, won; Foxey, second; Cliff Rogers, third. Time, :37.

BASEBALL STANDING

FRESNO CITY LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
McAfees	4	1	.800
Kutners	3	2	.600
Hickmans	2	3	.400
Bittels	1	4	.200

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Portland	85	67	.559
Oakland	94	76	.554
San Francisco	90	78	.536
Vernon	82	84	.494
Los Angeles	84	87	.491
Sacramento	59	102	.367

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	88	40	.687
Pittsburg	78	56	.582
New York	76	55	.580
Philadelphia	68	66	.507
Cincinnati	68	68	.500
St. Louis	53	76	.411
Brooklyn	52	80	.394
Boston	46	88	.343

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	93	40	.699
New York	77	56	.579
Boston	76	57	.571
Detroit	77	59	.566
Cleveland	61	74	.452
Washington	59	77	.434
Chicago	54	79	.406
St. Louis	40	94	.299

TODAY'S GAMES

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

Portland at Sacramento.
Oakland at Los Angeles.
Vernon at San Francisco.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg at Boston.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at New York.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston at Chicago.
New York at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Detroit.
Washington at Cleveland.

BAT NELSON IN AUTO SMASH.

TOPEKA, Kan., Sept. 16.—While endeavoring to make a record run from here to Kansas City today in an automobile, Oscar (Battling) Nelson and Fred Langley, who was driving the car, were thrown twenty feet into a field this morning when the touring car struck a farmer's wagon and turned turtle. Neither man was hurt.

SECOND BASEMAN KILLED.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Sept. 16. — Richard Arland, second baseman in the Montesano baseball team of the State League, was killed in an automobile accident near Montesano last night. Arland was driving an automobile from Aberdeen to Montesano. He leaned out of the car and his head struck a steel support.

MEXICANS DEDICATE MONUMENT TO LIBERTY

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 16.—Mexico crowned the celebration of her centennial today with the dedication of a monument to the independence of the republic. There was a grand parade from the national palace to the site of the monument in the beautiful Paso De La Reforma, between this city and Chapultepec, where the ceremonies were held. Ten thousand soldiers, marines and rurales and representatives of other powers were in line. The monument is an imposing granite shaft rising to a height of 140 feet. It is topped with a figure symbolic of liberty and the base is surrounded by bronze figures representing the various phases of the national life.

DEMOCRAT MAJORITY 41 TO 11.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Sept. 16.—Arizona's constitutional convention, which meets October 10, will have forty-one Democrats and eleven Republicans. Belated returns show Gila county elected four Democrats to one Republican.

ABE ATTELL GETS A NEWSPAPER DECISION OVER CHARLEY WHITE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 16.—Abe Attell, champion featherweight, won a ten-round no-decision bout from Charlie White of Chicago here tonight. It was his fast work in the last two rounds that gave him the newspaper decision and until that time White had a good chance to break even with the champion.

Abe was sent against the ropes in the first, but came back smiling and landed a hard left to White's face, followed by another to the stomach.

In the second round there was some fast infighting with a good exchange at long range.

White got in a hard right and left to Abe's face in the third round and the fourth was a repetition of the third, White holding his own.

In the fifth, White got Abe's face, but his blows lacked steam and Attell got in some hard right punches to Charlie's face and body. The sixth was another even break and both slowed down in the seventh.

Abe had a shade the better of the eighth. He landed one which brought blood to White's nose and sent in a rain of short arm jabs to Charlie's stomach. He devoted his time in the ninth to getting to White's body and then sent a hard left and right to the face.

The champion did all of the fighting in the tenth, and would have won the decision on this if nothing else.

SURPRISE IN GOLF TOURNEY.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—Another surprise occurred today in the championship tournament of the Women's Western Golf Association, when Mrs. Harvey L. Pound of the Skokie Club eliminated Mrs. Luther Kennett of the Evanston Golf Club, and the Southern California champion by 4 to 2 in the semi-final round at Skokie. The victory brings Mrs. Pound in the final tomorrow against Mrs. Thurston Harris of Westward Ho, who defeated Mrs. Edmund T. Perkins, 6 and 5.

CHICAGO PRINTERS WIN.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—Chicago defeated St. Louis, 7 to 3, today in the tournament of the Printers National Baseball League.

NEW PLAYERS IN CITY LEAGUE; TWO GAMES BILLED FOR TOMORROW

The four managers of the entries in the Fresno City League race yesterday announced their respective lineups for tomorrow's double-header at Recreation park. At 10:30, the Bittels and Hickmans will hook up, while the McAfees and Kutners will try conclusions in the afternoon at 3 o'clock. Several new faces will be seen in the four teams and the fans are taking considerable interest in the outcome of the two-spot series.

The second division teams have been strengthened until they are on a par with the McAfees and Kutners. For this reason, two exciting games should come off tomorrow. The lineup in the prelunchcon affair follows:

MORNING GAME

Bittels—Carrol, C; Johnson, P; Summers, 1b; Winterstein, 2b; Klein, 3b; Ehat, ss; Leader, lf; J. Miller, cf; Henry rf.

Hickmans—Dunn, C; Reitz, P; Rasmussen, 1b; Clarno, 2b; Giger, 3b; Hanson, ss; White, lf; Heisman, cf; Hyde, rf.

AFTERNOON GAME

The marching order for the second battle follows:

Kutners—G. Preston, C; R. Duncan, P; Barton, 1b; E. Preston, 2b; S. Ford, 3b; Wagner, ss; R. Ford, lf; Dalton, cf; G. Duncan, rf; Gatewood and Gates, utility.

McAfees—Baldwin, C; Decker, P; Cartwright, 1b; Smith 2b; Hemphill, 3b; Lack, ss; Hudson, lf; McClain, cf; Ryan, rf; Hill, Ostrander and Swartz, utility.

ANACONDA RACES TO END TODAY WITH GOOD CARD

Kogo Wins Mile and Eighth Purse; Track a Sea of Mud.

ANACONDA, Sept. 16.—Kogo won the mile and an eighth purse race today following the pace set by J. C. Clem until the stretch was reached. Then he responded to Fogarty's urging and passed the leaders with ease. The meeting closes tomorrow. A heavy shower came up just as the horses faced the barrier for the fifth racce and it was run in a downpour that turned the track into a sea of mud for the last event.

RESULTS

First race, five furlongs, selling—Great Caesar, 11 to 5, won; Kinfolks, 5 to 1, second; Abe Slupsky, 4 to 1, third. Time 1:03.

Second race, 5½ furlongs, selling—Roy T., 7 to 10, won; May Pink, 20 to 1, second; Aquiline, 10 to 1, third. Time 1:08 1-5.

Third race, five furlongs, selling—Electrowan, 8 to 1, won; Lady Adelaide, 8 to 5, second; Gelico, 6 to 1, third. Time 1:01 2-5.

Fourth race, mile and an eighth, purse—Kogo, 3 to 1, won; J. C. Clem, 6 to 1, second; Cabin, 2 to 1, third. Time 1:54 4-5.

Fifth race, mile, selling—John J. Rogers, 5 to 2, won; Yama, 9 to 2, second; Irrigator, 10 to 1, third. Time 1:45.

Sixth race, 5½ furlongs, selling—Andy Gump, 3 to 1, won; Will Morris, 8 to 5, second; Babe Neely, 5 to 1, third. Time 1:13.

VIC HANSON TO FIGHT JOE TIPPETS TONIGHT

The fight fans of Coalinga are turning their eyes toward Taft, where Vic Hanson, the Coalinga pugilist, is scheduled to box twenty rounds with Jack Tippets of San Francisco. Vic is a young man in the ring and is the victor of ten battles, while Tippets has a record of fighting eighty battles with only six to his loss. In his training Hanson is showing a great deal of class resulting from his experience while with Sam Langford in the latter's training quarters at San Francisco, before his fight was called off at Reno on the Fourth of July.

Those who are up in the game, claim that Hanson is a comer and are hoping for his victory over the San Francisco lad. His battle with Tippets promises to be the toughest contest in Hanson's career. The fight will come off this evening before the Taft Athletic Club.

GOVERNMENT GETS WITNESSES ON BEEF

CHICAGO, Sept. 16. — Subpoenaes for citizens who will testify for the government in the beef cases were issued today. They are made returnable November 1.

Among those named in the papers are: Charles Higgins, manager of the Boston branch house of Armour & Co.; Charles Barry, manager of the New York branch house of the National Packing Company; George W. Ballantyne, vice president and general manager of the Denver Stock Yards Company; Henry Gebhart, former president of the Colorado Packing and Provision Company; J. P. Tillman, former president of the National Packing Company; J. D. Standish, former secretary of the National Packing Company.

HORTON, Kan., Sept. 16.—William Bradshaw, a guard in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, shot Bertha Schmeditz at her home near here and then committed suicide.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACES CLOSE IN A WHIRLWIND

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 16.—The grand circuit meeting closed today with four good races in which close finishes and fast time featured.

Sarah Ann Patch was a decisive winner in the 2:15 pace, taking it in straight heats.

An extra heat was required in the 2:11 trot, in which J. Graham drove the bay gelding Starle to ultimate victory. In the 2:11 pace Joe Boy, Locust Boy and Dr. Fox had spirited battles for two heats, when Joe Boy, who had failed to land a heat, was ruled out along with Gentle and Nancy Allen and Locust Boy and Dr. Fox settled the issue alone. It was a great heat. They were well together till the stretch, when Harvey Ernest came up from behind in a great drive with Locust Boy and beat J. Graham with Dr. Fox by a neck.

There was a splendid field in the 2:15 trot, but Peter Dorsey had enough speed to take the race in straight heats.

VISALIA PIRATES IN SPECIAL GAME

VISALIA, Sept. 16.—Bobbie Coltrin, shortstop on the Pirate team, is arranging a game for Sunday between the Regulars and the "Has Beens," to be played on the local grounds. The proposed barnstorming trip to Bakersfield has been called off, hence the provision for the game locally. Preceding the event there will be base running contests among the players, ball throwing and running races. Practically all the members of the Pirate team will take part in the exhibition, the proceeds of which will be pocketed by the players.

MOHLER'S ERROR IN THIRD ASSISTS VERNON

Hooligans Drive in Winning Run Off Harry Sutor of Seals.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Captain Mohler's error in the third inning cost San Francisco the game today. With three on bases he booted a hit by Ross, and Carlisle and Willett scored. Burrell scored on R. Brashear's single to right and Vernon has its total for the day. San Francisco came back with two in the fourth, but Willett's pitching held them at this station. The score:

VERNON.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO	A.	E.
Carlisle, cf	4	1	1	0	2	0	0
Burrell, 3b	2	1	1	0	0	0	1
Ross, lf	3	0	0	1	1	0	0
R. Brashear, 2b	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Coy, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
N. Brashear, 1b	3	0	1	0	15	0	0
Lindsay, ss	2	0	0	1	1	1	0
Brown, c	4	0	1	0	3	2	0
Willett, p	4	1	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	31	3	6	2	27	10	1

SAN FRANCISCO.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO	A.	E.
Madden, cf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Mohler, 2b	4	0	0	0	5	2	1
Shaw, ss	4	0	1	0	1	2	0
Boole, lf	3	1	1	0	2	0	0
Tennant, 1b	3	1	1	0	4	1	0
Witt, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Williams, c	4	0	0	0	8	0	1
Melchoir, rf	3	0	1	0	1	0	0
Sutor, p	3	0	0	0	2	1	0
Totals	29	2	4	0	27	13	1

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Vernon	002 000 000—3
Base hits	002 020 200—6
San Francisco	000 200 000—2
Base hits	000 110 201—4

SUMMARY.

Sacrifice hit—Tennant. First base on balls—Off Willett, 2; off Sutor, 1. Struck out—By Willett, 2; by Sutor, 7. Hit by pitcher—Ross, Burrell. Double plays—Shaw to Tennant; Lindsay to R. Brashear to N. Brashear. Wild pitches—Sutor, 1. Time—1:45. Umpires — Hildebrand and Van Haltren.

PORTLAND DID NOT PLAY.

Owing to the funeral of Curtin, no game between Portland and Sacramento was played yesterday. The day before rain stopped the contest.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

CLEVELAND, Sept. 16.—Cleveland defeated Washington today. Walsh and Mitchell were effective until the eighth, when both were knocked out. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	6	8	2
Washington	6	6	2

Batteries—Mitchell, Koestner and Land; Walker, Gray and Alnsmith.

DETROIT, Sept. 16. — Coombs held Detroit to two hits today, only one local man reaching second, and Philadelphia won, 10 to 0. Cobb batted for Willett in the eighth and struck out. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	10	14	4
Detroit	0	2	2

Batteries — Coombs and Lapp; Willett, Stroud and Schmidt.

Western League

At Wichita—Sioux City, 9; Wichita, 2.

At St. Joseph—First game, Omaha, 11; St. Joseph, 0. Second game, Omaha, 10; St. Joseph, 5.

At Lincoln—Lincoln, 6; Topeka, 2.

At Denver—Denver 8; Des Moines, 5 (eight innings, darkness.)

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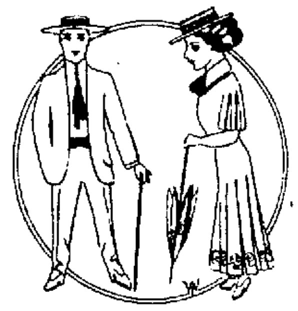
"Dear me," replied Miss Cayenne, "what a short journey!"



DOMESTIC GAS SAVER.

"Miss Nannie is such a bright girl!"

"Yes. Her mother says you never have a light in the parlor when you and Nannie are there."

CLOSE TO THE THRONE.

New Arrival (to St. Peter)—Who's the man that furnishes the aurora for the kingdom?

St. Peter—He's one of the elect. Mortgaged his auto to buy a home.

NO TRIFLING.

Old Bach (to spinster)—Do you believe in kissing?

"Not unless the man means business."

ANOTHER BOOM FOR THE CROPS.

"Not many delegates appeared at the Esperantist congress that met in Kansas."

"No. Most of them stopped off and hired out as harvest hands."

GREAT MAGAZINE COMBINE.

"The Dubbs brothers have started a monthly publication."

"So I hear. One will muckrake for thirty days, and the other will uplift the next thirty."

LOVE ON HIGH

An Aeroplane in sunny France
Was speeding through the air
And little thinking of romance
Until he was aware
(Though soaring safely up above)
That he had fallen—deep in love.

For, overhead, his vision met
A moon-like Monoplane.
She moved in higher circles, yet
Did not evince disdain.
His motor throbbed with nervous haste,
As after her he fleetly raced.

And when an hour had taken flight
In record breaking time,
She wigwagged with her wings of white,
Inviting him to climb.
His answer (an ascent!) was rash!
He darted near, too near—a crash!

Fear not—the ending comes out right
(Or Wright, if you prefer)
Much mechanism, sound and light,
Was left of him and her,
Aerial waves again they plow,
Forever one—a Biplane now.
—From Puck.

THE SCIENCE OF LOYALTY.

For some reason or other Mr. Roosevelt refuses to recognize the accomplishments of the Taft administration or accept them as an earnest of future progress. In the many addresses he has thus made in the West he has failed to mention the name of his successor and personal friend, while his addresses have had a critical tone, at once unfair and unjust. Added to this, the fact that his traveling companions are two of the most outspoken critics of the Taft administration—one expelled from office for disloyalty and insubordination, and another piqued at his failure to be retained in office—cannot fail to creat the impression that Colonel Roosevelt is not the loyal friend, desirous above all things for the success of the administration for which he was chiefly responsible, that the public had a right to expect. Judging the situation from a point outside the circle of intimate knowledge, it looks like a glaring violation of the principle of "the square deal," of which we heard so much in times past. That Mr. Roosevelt is harboring the idea of again taking up the burdens of the high station, as undoubtedly urged by some of his ambitious but ill balanced advisors, is inconceivable in the face of his reiterated pledge. But the absence of that friendly recognition for great achievements which is due President Taft, a recognition which seems to be demanded by the strongest ties of personal devotion and past service, cannot fail to produce results serious alike upon the Republican party and the country.—Lancaster New Era, Republican.

BIG BEN'S ACCURACY.

The Big Ben clock is perhaps the most perfect timekeeper in the world. When it was under construction rather more than half a century ago the then Astronomer-Royal (Sir George Airy), who was consulted regarding its mechanism, declared that it was impossible to design a clock subject to big ranges of temperature and other external causes of error that would keep time within four or five seconds. The late Lord Grimthorpe (then Mr. E. Beckett-Denison), however, who was a famous horologist, thought otherwise, and he designed specially for the Westminster clock his gravity escapement, to which it owes its marvelous good going.

An electric signal is automatically sent by Big Ben once a day to Greenwich, and with monotonous sameness Sir G. B. Airy and his successor, in their annual reports, have placed on record the irreproachable behavior of the great clock. On most days it is almost dead true, and on barely half a dozen days in any year does it vary as much as three seconds from accurate Greenwich mean time. Strictly speaking, Big Ben is the name not of the clock, but of the fourteen-ton hour bell, the designing and casting of which were also superintended by Lord Grimthorpe.—London Daily News.

MUSIC ... AT THE ...

SEQUOIA GRILL

The Symphonia Orchestra, with Miss Elsa Mattern Miller as leader, will inaugurate their first musical evening at the Sequoia Grill. This is a new departure for this well known place, and will be a treat for the public.

The first concert will take place Sunday, September the 18th, from 6 to 8:30 p. m. and 10:30 to 12 p. m., and every day thereafter.

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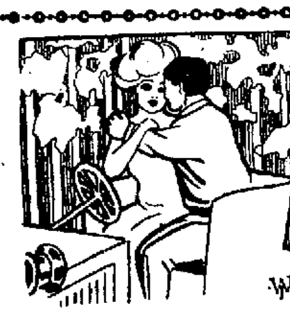
BETTER FIELD.

Mrs. Copper—Did your son go to Florence and Rome to study the figures?

Mrs. Rubber—No; he is studying the figures on the beach this year.



HE FOLLOWED HER.

They were autoing through a deep wood, and he had told her of the banditti that used to be there.

"What a romantic place to be held up in!" exclaimed the maiden. Then he held her up.

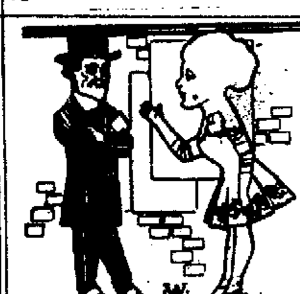
A GROWING LIKENESS.

Photographer—Your son ordered these pictures of me.

Dad—They look like him. Did he pay you?

"He did not."

"Ah, that looks more like him."



AT THE RESORT THEATER.

Miss Sue Bret—I have a living engagement here at last.

Walking Gent—What 'tis?

"I have a part in which I have to cook and eat a plate of real ham and eggs at every performance."

IT MAKES A DIFFERENCE.

Mr. Pashay—Would you like for your husband to see your diary, Mrs. Waggs?

Mrs. Waggs (of Reno)—That would depend upon whether it was before or after our marriage.

IT NEVER SUITS.

"The weather is very trying for everybody," said the physician.

"Yes," replied the man waiting. "When the sun doesn't shine my wife has the blues; when it does she says it fades the carpet."

THE MEANEST MAN ON EARTH.

Here is a man so mean that in his presence the person who takes candy from infant hands by force or robs the penny bank owned by youthful innocence would declare himself noble and high minded.

He it was who stole the baby carriage and left the occupant on the pavement, saying "Goo goo" to a newspaper of the day before, which he had given the child for a doll.

Mrs. Max Wolinsky left her baby girl Etta at 4 o'clock the other afternoon in front of her husband's dry goods store in Brooklyn while she went in to assist him waiting on customers during a rush. The child, which is a year old, was in her little carriage contented and happy and wrapped in a new coat. While Mrs. Wolinsky was measuring muslin and calico and dimity the villain arrived. He lifted the baby out of the carriage and deposited it on the sidewalk and then he took off that little gray coat.

But it cannot be said that he was entirely heartless, for he wound an old newspaper up in the form of a doll and placed it in the chubby hands of Etta and disappeared swiftly around the corner with the carriage and the coat and the dainty pillows which Mrs Wolinsky had made.—New York Herald.

FALLING HAIR.

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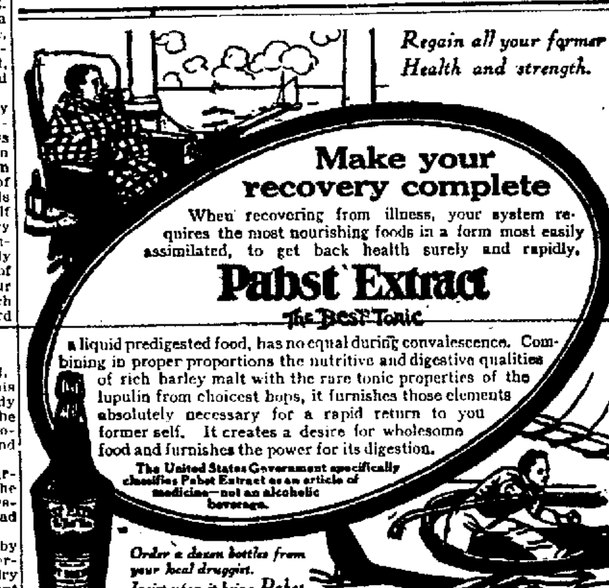

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"I don't. My borrowing neighbors do it."

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COMMERCIAL

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET REPORT

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Fruits — Fancy apples 75, common 40.
Berries — Strawberries 300@500; raspberries 400@600.
Grapes—Muscat 50@65.
Pears—Common 75, fancy 125; Bartlett 125@200.
Peaches—Common 60; fancy 75.
Plums—Common 75, fancy 100.
Oranges—Valencia 250@400.
Mexican limes—600@650.
Lemons—Common California 250; fancy 450.
Melons— Watermelons 100@150, fancy cantaloupes 200; common 150.
Tropical fruits—Bananas 75@300.
Beans—Pink 600@625. Lima 445@450, small white 365@410, large white 375@400.
Potatoes— Salinas Burbanks 135@150; Merced Sweets 1½@2.
Onions—Fancy 90, common 80.
Various—Green peas 3@5; string beans 3@6; egg plant 40@60; green peppers 35@50, tomatoes 40@75; summer squash 35@60, garlic 2½@3½, cucumbers 40@60.
Butter—Fancy creamery 33; seconds 30; fancy dairy 28.
Cheese—New 14@15½; Young America 15½@16.
Eggs—Ranch 40½; store 38.
Poultry—Roosters, old 500@550, roosters, young 850, broilers, small 275@350; broilers, large 350; fryers 400@500; hens 500@700; ducks, old 500@600; ducks, young 700@900; goslings 200@250; pigeons 150.
Flour—Family extras 560; bakers' extras 585@620, Oregon and Washington 500@520.
Wheat—Shipping 152½@157½.
Barley—Feed 97½@100; brewing 105@108¾.
Oats Red 120@130; white 155@160; black 125@145.
Millstuffs—Middlings 3200@3600, mixed feed 2500@2600; rolled barley 2200@2350, oatmeal 360; oat groats 425; rolled oats 3000@3200.
Hay—Wheat 700@1300; wheat and oat 800@1100; oat, wild 650@700; oat, tame 700@1120; alfalfa 700@1300; straw 35@60.
Receipts—Flour 9815; wheat 37; barley 150@188; oats 3970, beans 1745; potatoes 4000; onions 260; bran 190; middlings 250, straw 5; hides 695; wine 71,300.

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EASTERN QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—No change was reported in the market for evaporated apples and old crop supplies are generally firm. Fancy quoted at 10¼, choice 8½@9¼, prime 8@¼; common to fair 6@7¾.

Coast advices indicate a firm primary situation in the prune market and the prices are well maintained, ranging from 3¼@10 for California fruit up to 30-40s and from 5 to 9½ for Oregons.

OIL STOCKS

The August Oil Co. well is landing the 10-inch casing at 1415 feet on a hard shell preparing to shut off the big salt water.

DAILY NET PRICE LIST.

We have on hand for immediate delivery—

200	Amy	1.10
1000	August	Bid
300	Adeline	Bid
1000	Bohemian	.25
500	Best Yet	Bid
5000	Baird	.03½
1000	Brad	.57
137	Blue Moon	.08
500	Boychester	.28
1000	Big Sespe	.08
500	Canadian Pacific B. C.	.25
500	Coalinga Crown	Bid
1000	Coalinga National	Bid
500	Coalinga Lakeview	Bid
200	Castle	.60
2000	Coalinga Consolidated	.01
200	Coalinga Mohawk	Bid
600	Combination Midway	Bid
500	Coalinga Homestake	1.50
500	Creme Petroleum	.25
500	Cosmo	.25
1000	Crown	.08
500	Coin	Bid
500	De Luxe	1.00
1000	Del Rey	.16
1000	Elsinor	.05
500	Echo	.15
100	Empire	2.45
500	East Puente	1.75
1000	Fox Tail	Bid
500	Hale McLeod	.50
500	Hawkeye	.50
600	Johnson	.50
200	John Kern Oil	Bid
1000	Kern River Drillers	.06
500	K. O. D. assess. paid	.52
700	K. & V. assess. paid	.37
500	Light Oil Extension	.25
1000	Lillian	Bid
50	Lucile	9.00
2000	Lady Washington	.08
100	La Belle	Bid
700	Mt. Diablo	2.00
1000	Mascot	Bid
5000	Madison	.06
500	Mammoth	1.00
1000	M. K. & T.	Bid
1000	Midway Maricopa Crude	.03½
500	Midway 5	.20
1000	Midway Union	.11
500	Midway Premier	.22½
1000	Midway Coalinga	Bid
200	Midway Central	.25
1000	Mohawk Sunset	.23
500	Merchants & Bankers	Bid
1000	Maricopa National	.25
1000	New York-Coalinga	.02
250	New Centre	10.00
333	Overland	.18
1000	Pyramid	.57
200	Pantheon	1.00
500	Plute	.15
500	Pacific Midway	.90
500	Pacific States	.32
600	Red Top	.10
200	Republic	.50
3000	Six Acre (Assess. paid)	.20
400	South Pole	.22
500	Spinks Crude	Bid
500	San Juan	Bid
500	S. W. & B.	.32
500	Seneca	.80
600	Southeastern Limited	.42
200	Silver Tip	1.50
3000	Twenty-Two	.10
1000	Three Twenty	Bid
2500	Thirty Six	Bid
1000	Templor Ranch	.16
300	Unity	.20
1000	United Crude	Bid
500	Visalia Non-Assess.	.40
1500	Valley	Bid
400	Visalia Midway	.75
500	Ward	2.00
500	Warthan	.15
1000	W. T. M.	Bid
100	Yellowstone	.38
	MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.	
1000	Alaska Petroleum & Coal	.12½
200	Haynes Copper	.55
1000	Haynes Copper	Wanted
1	1909 Mining Co.	20.00
100	P. B. Steifer M.	1.60
100	Mascot Copper	3.90
1000	Alaska United Copper Exploration	Bid
	ORDERS TO BUY.	
1500	Amazon (Midway)	.16
500	Coalinga Lakeview	.09
100	Coalinga Mohawk	1.50
500	Canadian Queen	Offer
1000	Coalinga Crude	Offer
1000	Crown	Offer
1000	Fox Tail	.01½
500	Kramer	.09
1000	La Blanc	.29
500	Midway Northern	.24
1000	Maricopa Producers'	Offer
500	Maricopa Natl.	Offer
600	Netherlands	Offer
500	Pyramid	.52
500	Republic	Offer
1000	S. E. Limited	.36
1000	Spring Tire	.17
1000	Templor McKittrick	.01½
1000	Ventura Oil and Dev.	.09½

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Apricots are in slow demand from domestic buyers but coast advices indicate a considerable demand for export. Choice 10¾@11½; extra choice 11¾@12¾; fancy 12@13 1-3.

Peaches quiet, with choice quoted at 7@7¼, extra choice 7½@8¼; fancy 8@8½.

Raisins firm. Loose Muscatels 4½@6; choice to fancy seeded 6@7½; seedless 5@5, London layers $1.75@$1.90.

CHICAGO.— Covering by some of the lower shorts stampeded the smaller ones this afternoon and turned the wheat market from weakness into apparent strength. It was because of the smallness of trade at the time, however, that the purchases had so much effect. Closing prices showed a net rise of ⅛ to 1@1⅛.

Corn finished ⅛ to ¾@⅞ down, oats unchanged to ⅛ up and provisions at 5c lower to 10c advance.

Wheat closed at the best figures of the day, the market being oversold. At no time was the situation as weak as expected following the depression in both domestic and foreign centers yesterday. Talk of exports sales had much to do with bringing about an upward turn. Another bullish factor was a substantial falling off in world's shipments as compared with last week. Attention also was given sharply to an estimate that the total Russian production of grain is 150,000,000 bushels short of last year and to a report that Russian shipments for this week will be relatively small.

Preceding the final flurry among the shorts in the future pit, there was firmness in cash wheat. September, too, was somewhat stiffer than other months. December ranged from 97⅞ to 99⅝, closing strong at the last named price, a gain of ¾@1c over the latest quotations of the previous session.

Corn, although weak, rallied somewhat with wheat late in the day. December fluctuated between 53⅝ and 53⅞, and closed steady at 53½, a net decline of ⅛. The cash market was weak. No. 2 yellow closed at 55½@56.

With country sales lighter and shipping call fair, oats ruled firm. December sold from 35 to 35⅛, finishing at 35½.

Hog products lost ground. In the end, pork was 20c lower to 5c higher, lard 2½ to 10c up and ribs 2½@5c to 13½c decline.

ST. LOUIS.— Wool steady; medium grades combing and clothing 23@24c; light fine 19@21; heavy fine 13@17; tub washed 25@33.

NEW YORK.—Wheat: Spot firm; futures closed 1⅝@1⅞ net higher. September closed 103¾; December closed 104⅞.

Hops easy; state common to choice, 1909, 19@21.
Hides quiet.
Petroleum steady.
Raw sugar steady; Muscovado 89 test $3.86; centrifugal 96 test $4.36; molasses sugar 89 test $3.61; refined sugar steady.

THE RETAIL MARKETS

Fruits and Vegetables.

Grapes—2c. lb.
Bananas—20c.
Green Peppers—2 lbs. 15c.
Peaches—15c. basket.
Cauliflower—2 heads 25c.
Celery Root—5c. each.
Horse Radish Root—25c. per lb.
Celery—10c. bunch.
Green Corn—25c. dozen.
Cantaloupe—5c.
Apples—3 lbs. 25c.
Figs—20c. basket.
Cucumbers—4 for 5c.
Egg plant—2 for 5c.
Okra—15c. lb.
String Beans—3 lbs. 25c.
Squash—3c. lb.
Potatoes—10 lb. for 25c.
Garlic—15c. lb.
Tomatoes—20c basket.
Green Onions—2 for 5c.
Parsley—5c bunch.
Turnips—2½c. bunch.
Carrots—2½c. bunch.
Radishes—2 bunches 5c.
Lemons—25c. dozen.
Oranges—25c. dozen.
Cabbages—3c. lb.
Coast Lettuce—5c. bunch.
Beets—2 bunches 5c.

Butter, Eggs and Honey.

Butter—80c. roll.
Colony Butter—85c. roll.
Eggs—35c dozen.
Honey—15c. comb.

Fresh Meats.

Beefsteak—10c. to 25c. per lb.; roast 10c. to 22c. lb.
Mutton—12½c. to 22c lb.
Lamb—15c. to 25c. lb.
Pork—18c. to 25c. lb.
Veal—12½c. to 20c. per lb.
Lard—20c. per lb.

Dressed Stock.

Steer—8c to 10c. lb.
Veal 6c. to 9c. lb.
Chickens—Broilers, dressed, 35c. lb.; alive, 25c. lb.
Chickens—Dressed hen 25c. to 30c lb.; alive, 20c lb.
Chickens—fryers, dressed, 35c lb.
Turkeys—dressed 30c. lb.; alive, 20c lb.

Mill Stuffs.

Wheat—$2.10 cwt.
Barley—85c. sack.
Corn Meal—40c. per 10 lb. sack.
Graham Meal—40c. per 10 lb. sack.
Flour—$1.65 per sack.

OIL STOCKS

See Herald for complete list of stocks.

Orders to Sell.

1000	Alaska Pet. and Coal	.12
1000	Amazon	.20
500	Baird	.03½
1000	Blair	Bid
500	Boston Pacific	.33
1000	California-Coalinga	.35½
500	Cat Canyon Oil Co.	.25
500	Cleveland	.13¼
300	Coalinga Crude	.05¼
500	Coalinga Lakeview	.12½
250	Coalinga Mohawk	1.52½
500	Coalinga National	.16
1000	Consolidated Midway	.28
200	De Luxe	1.00
1000	Fox Tail	.02½
400	Hale McLeod	Bid
500	Haynes Copper	.52
500	Johnson (Assess. pd.)	Bid
500	La Blanc	Bid
5000	Lady Washington	.09¾
500	Maricopa National	Bid
500	Maricopa Producers	Bid
200	Marian	.20
500	Mohawk Sunset	.23
300	Mt. Diablo	Bid
500	Netherlands	.51
200	Nevada Midway	.20
250	Overland	.23
100	Pacific States	.33
200	P. B. Steifer	Bid
100	Producers'	4.50
500	Pyramid	.56
250	Red Top	.08½
100	Security	.50
100	Silver Tip	1.40
1000	S. E. Limited	Bid
1000	South Pole	.18
200	Spring Tire	Bid
300	Visalia Midway	.75
200	Unity	Bid
500	Yellowstone	.29
	Will buy subject to confirmation:	
1000	Amazon	.17½
300	Coalinga Lake View	.10½
500	Coalinga National	Offer
500	Consolidated Midway	Offer
100	De Luxe	Offer
500	Fox Tail	.01½
1000	La Blanc	.29
1000	Lady Washington	Offer
1000	Liberty Oil	.17
1000	Maricopa National	.35½
400	Mohawk	1.40
200	Mount Diablo	1.75
500	Netherlands	.49
750	Pacific States	.30
1000	Pyramid	.53
1000	S. E. Limited	Wanted
100	Turner	1.15
300	United Oil	.65
500	Ventura O. & Dev.	Wanted
1000	Visalia Midway	Wanted

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THE NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.— Hesitation and uncertainty were written on the face of the market today. The undertone was heavy and sometimes weak, but at other times there was evidence of resisting power and signs of support which implied a protective influence.

The transactions in United States Steel were more than double those in any other one security and when dealings in Reading and Union Pacific were added, there was not much left of the rest of the market. The great preponderance of the operations in United States Steel gave that stock a large sympathetic effect on the general market. There was insistent talk also of an open cut in prices of steel products.

Some effect of this influence was the report on European copper stocks, showing a decrease in two weeks of upward of four million pounds and bringing the European visible supply down to the lowest level touched in a twelvemonth.

The preliminary estimates of the week's currency movement were interesting as indicating a balance of receipts over shipments of currency by express from the interior. The loss of cash in sub-treasury operations of $6,053,000 seems to be thus reduced to little over $5,000,000. The complication over the financing of the cotton movement remained a subject for consideration in connection with the money situation.

Bonds were easy. Total sales, par value, $1,755,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

RECORDED DEEDS

W. W. Craycroft to William A. Mosgrove Jr. Lots 1 and 2 in Block 15 of Wilson's North Fresno tract. Rosanna C. Wilson to same above lots with various conditions by grantee and vendor agreeing to grade all adjacent streets, lay water pipes and curb sidewalks.

H. A. Kemp to Henry H. Staples Lots 17 and 18 in East Fresno block 50.

COUNTRY PROPERTY

Della F. and William A. Nevills of Tuolumne to Nevills Investment company of San Francisco 160 acres about 6½ miles northwest of Fresno city bounded on south by land owned by La Favorita Vineyard company and which said Weihe ranch was conveyed to Nevills by August Weihe.

A. D. Owen to Owen company Lots 2-7, 12 and 13 of Estrella Vineyard, also parcels in S.E.¼ of 13, in 33, 32 and 31-13-19, also S.E.¼ of S.E.¼ of 32-13-19; Denver S. Church to Owen company Lots 75 and 76 and south 8 feet of 77 of North Park.

Dr. T. B. Key to Lucy M. Gilbert of Los Angeles S.E.¼ of 19-16-21, lease by him, and Mrs. Savannah L. Studebaker to Jens Thomsen under date of October 6, 1909, having been cancelled.

E. A. Gilliam to S. M. Gilliam, also of Tulare, one half interest in W.½ of N.E.¼, E.½ of N.W.¼, N.½ of S.E.¼ and E.½ of S.W.¼ of 34-14-27 of 320 acres.

J. E. Cowles to Shirley C. Ward also of Los Angeles 240 acres of W.½ of N.W.¼ and N.W.¼ of S.W.¼ of 4, N.E.¼ of N.E.¼, S.W.¼ of N.E.¼ and N.E.¼ of S.W.¼ of 9-16-12.

Helm company to W. A. Veith S.½ of S.E.¼ of S.W.¼ of 7-15-21, reserving for road purposes a 30 foot strip along entire west side of land.

T. A. Griggs of Kerman to L. S. Reeves S.E.¼ of S.E.¼ of S.E.¼ of 23-13-17; Fresno Irrigated Farms company the above 10 acres to Griggs.

Al Breitenbucher to Lola E. Breitenbucher Lot 19 of Saunders tract.

MORTGAGE RECORD

Joseph Birkhead of Pollasky assigns to S. C. Sample mortgage of January 30, 1909, by Isaac R. Bull and others: S. C. Sample assigns to D. C. Sample this mortgage for $5000 and D. C. gives S. C. Sample release of a mortgage of November 29, 1909.

B. U. Steinman as surviving trustee for Farmers and Merchants' bank of Sacramento gives M. J. Bird release under trust deed of September 12, 1892, also to La Paso Rica Vineyard company under deed of September 3, 1901.

Mortgage of July 6, 1908, having been released, Alexius Lindquist remortgages to August Loresen the S.½ of S.E.¼ of S.E.¼ of 5-16-23 of 20 acres for $2145 for 2 years at 8 per cent.

M. Hurley to People's Savings bank N.E.¼ of 15-11-22, 50 acres south and west of Porterville branch of S. P. railroad, for $200 for 2 years at 7½ per cent.

J. A. Cobbey to H. O. Marshall Lots 11 and 12 of Griffith's Sunflower addition in the Terry tract for $500 for one year at 8 per cent.

W. D. Creaser to W. J. Cowen E.½ of S.W.½ of Lot 3 in Block A of Wolters Colony for $500 for 3 years at 10 per cent.

Joseph Birkhead to Sam C. Sample E.½ of N.E.¼ of 35-13-18 for $2000 for 2 years at 2 per cent.

L. S. Reeves to T. A. Griggs S.E.¼ of S.E.¼ of S.E.¼ of 23-13-17 for $800 at 7 per cent for 2 years.

CHATTEL MORTGAGES

R. Liljenfeldt and C. L. Melin to J. A. Coelho fixtures in The Svea saloon at 1020 I street for $1250 for one day at 8 per cent.

C. W. Belknap to National Bank of Reedley 2 horses and colt for $100 for 6 months at 10 per cent.

LETTERS PATENT

Letters patent to J. E. Cowles for San Bernardino forest reserve selection in W.½ of N.W.¼ and N.W.¼ of S.W.¼ of 4 and N.E.¼ of N.E.¼, S.W.¼ of N.E.¼ and N.E.¼ of S.W.¼ of 9-16-12.

AFFECTING LAND

Court order recorded in the case of John Dowdell vs John J. Shoo that they are entitled equally in partnership to Lots 13-16 in Block 29 of Coalinga, title held by L. F. Herrick for the partners subject to his lien for $5500, said lien being subsequent to a mortgage to Emma Bennett of February 10, 1910, by Shoo and wife for $33,000 and Shoo having a lien for $1570 with 6 per cent interest from August 1, 1909. The order also contains the provisions of the court judgment for an accounting and to place Dowdell in possession on equal terms.

POLLASKY LEASE

J. S. Hester leases to W. M. Cunningham the Jim Hester place in Pollasky (Lots 15-17 in Block 13 of the town) for 3 years from September 1, 1910, for $540 in semi-annual installments.

CONTRACT TO SELL

W. E. Kline agrees to sell to Gineva R. Stevens described premises in Block 3 of Altamont addition for $75.

RECORDED ATTACHMENTS

Attachment recorded out of Superior Court of Kern county in case of California National Supply company against New York Coalinga Oil company for $16,520.38 and $1007.22 interest. Levy was made on property standing in the name of the Pleasant Valley Farming company namely E.½ of W.½ of N.W.¼ of 8-20-15; also attachment levied on interest of Coalinga Red Top Oil company standing in the name of Alfred Fuhrman namely the W.½ of S.W.¼ of N.E.¼ of 6-21-15 in suit of California National Supply company to recover $7077.72 and $120 interest.

CONTRACT TO BUILD

Contract recorded between the Byrne-Steward company and J. H. Peak for the erection in 75 days in the town of Selma on Lots 1 and 2 Block J of a one story brick store building with basement for $5890.

TREASURY BALANCE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The condition of the treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows:

Trust funds— Gold coin $891,914,669; silver dollars $485,191,000; silver dollars of 1890 $3,566,000; silver certificates outstanding $485,191,000.

General fund—Standard silver dollars in general fund $4,366,904; current liabilities $96,436,366, working balance in treasury offices $31,123,766; in banks to credit of treasurer of the United States $35,476,733; subsidiary silver coin $19,746,761; minor coin $1,818,793; total balance in general fund $55,636,881.

COULD WE BUT KNOW.

Could we but know what influence we wield
Over our fellow-men each day we live—
How frowns may hurt, or how a smile may give
Courage to some faint heart in life's great field
Of battle; ah! methinks that we would be
More careful of our actions as we go
Through this strange world of ours, could we but see—
Could we but know.

Could we but stand in some one else's place,
Seeing our own selves from his point of view,
Our faults, of which we thought we had but few,
Would seem as countless as the stars in space;
And all the great, good traits we thought we had,
And all that we had done to lessen woe
Might all be overbalanced by the bad,
Could we but know.

Could we but know how just the little things
Which we call commonplace amid the lives
Of all of us! The struggling man who strives
To reach a goal, and fails, and feels the stings
Of unjust critics pierce his very soul
Knows what kind words are worth, and long ago
A kind word might have helped him reach the goal,
Could we but know.

Could we but know! Ah me! could we but know
The hearts that we have made to ache with pain
By little thoughtless deeds, we would refrain
From doing them again, and we would go
With tear-wet eyes and beg them to forgive—
Ah, yes, our hearts would ever warmer grow
Toward all mankind as long as we should live,
Could we but know.

—James William Callahan, in Indianapolis News.

GET YOUR SIX BUSHELS.

Quantity of Wheat Each Person May Eat This Year.

The home consumption of wheat per capita in this country, including seed and wheat flour (at four and one-half bushels per barrel), has been as follows: 1870, 5.02 bushels; 1880, 5.52 bushels; 1890, 5.49 bushels, and 1900, 5.11 bushels. The same is estimated to have been about 6.39 bushels in 1908. There has been much fluctuation, and the figures may settle about six bushels for 1910, or perhaps more. Anyway, there has been apparently an increase about one bushels in our per capita consumption since 1870. We may suppose an equal increase in the equal period of the next sixty years, making seven bushels for 1950, though it may be considerably less.

At the rate of seven bushels per capita, a population of 160,000,000 will require 1,120,000,000 bushels of wheat. This amount taken from the production of 1,600,000,000 bushels above estimated for that year, and which is shown to be very conservative, leaves a surplus of 480,000,000 bushels. Some predictions of our future population have placed it much higher than 160,000,000 for 1950, one making it at high as 200,000,000. Supposing this last to be correct, at seven bushels per capita, that population would require 1,400,000,000 bushels, leaving still a surplus of 200,000,000 bushels. Again, if we assume that there will be a greater increase in per capita consumption resulting in as much as eight bushels by 1950, the amount required at home at this rate would be 1,280,000,000 bushels, leaving a surplus of 320,000,000 bushels. Supposing both contentions of the larger increases in population and consumption should be true, which is extremely improbable, the demand would just equal the supply.—Prof. M. A. Carlton, in Science.

HE MATCHED IT.

After ten years he returned, footsore and weary. His wife met him at the door.

"I thought you were dead," she told him.

"You should have known better than that," he said. "Do you remember that last piece of net I tried to match for you? You scolded me because there was a difference of an eighth of an inch in the width of the folds, and I vowed that I would never again return from matching anything for you until I had found the exact thing you wanted."

He handed her a package.

"Here is that old rose binding braid that you told me to buy. I found it last Monday in Billings, Mont. I have looked for it in thirty-seven states."

She tore off the wrappings.

"It is a little too dark," she said.

"But the sample has faded some in ten years," he reminded her.

"It is a little too heavy, besides."

"But handling by thousands of clerks has worn the sample some. It was heavier when I started out."

"I suppose I can make it do," she said.—Newark News.

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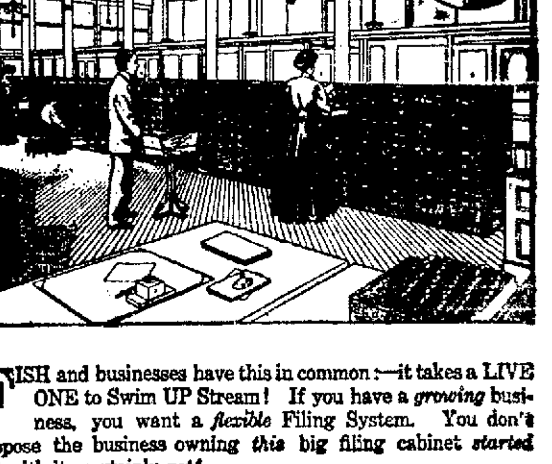

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TO HER.

Unto the dawn, rising in roseate grace,
The stars, with loving lingering, give place,
Hiding bright faces in the brighter space

So the gay flowers with which the garden glows,
Whereon the breeze of summer wooing blows,
Seem gathered, seem condensed, within the rose.

And so the rose, that miracle of scent,
Color, and shape, harmoniously blent,
To breathe of thee, thee only, must be meant.

Because—oh, beauty that each day renews—
Thou summest all sweet odors, forms, and hues,
My Star, my Dawn, my Rose, my Music, and my Muse.
—Henry Austin, in the Century Magazine.

LATEST ACT OF CRIMINALS

Aeroplane Wreckers in France Pour Acid on the Machinery

Aeroplane wreckers are the latest criminals to appear in France, adding a new danger to the already ultrathrilling sport. An ingenious plot to disable the machines of the three participants in the recent long-circuit aeroplane race has just been discovered, and a reward of $1000 has been offered for the capture of the criminals. Luckily the scheme did not work perfectly, but its effects are sufficient to give a fresh thrill to every aviator.

It appears that while the machines were waiting in Amiens, preparatory to finishing the journey back to Paris, and unknown malefactor, dressed in overalls like a mechanic, secretly emptied a vial of sulphuric acid into the lubricating oil intended for the motors of the aeroplanes. Lieutenant Camerman was suspicious and did not use the oil. He arrived safely in Paris. M. Legagneux used the liquid and was forced to land at Creil to give the motor a thorough cleaning.

Lieutenant Aquavista had hardly left Amiens when he was forced to land with the motor of his machine utterly disabled. An examination by experts showed that the delicate mechanism had been badly corroded in several places and it was considered a miracle that Lieutenant Aquavista escaped a terrible fall.

"There is no doubt," said Colonel Auge, directing the inquiry at Amiens, "that the motors were disabled by a powerful acid. The identity of the criminal is still a puzzle, and it is unknown whether he is an anarchist or a foreigner jealous of the triumphs of French aviators. The machines were guarded by special sentinels throughout the course and I am unable to understand how the acid was introduced into the oil."—Chicago News.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT NO. 8

The Rose-McCourt Oil and Land Company, having its place of business in Room 7, Short Building, Fresno City, Fresno Co., State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors held on the 15th day of July, 1910, an assessment of 2 cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately, to J. L. Hutchison, secretary of said Corporation at the office of the Company, in Room 7 of the Short Building in the City of Fresno.

Any stock on which the assessment shall remain unpaid on the 25th day of August, 1910, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made on or before, will be sold on the 15th day of September, 1910, to pay the delinquent assessment together with the cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

J. L. HUTCHISON,
Secretary of the Rose-McCourt Oil and Land Company, office Room 7, Short Building, Fresno, California.

POSTPONEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the time for payment of said assessment has been postponed to Monday, the 19th day of September, 1910. All delinquent stock will then be advertised and sold at public auction at 3 o'clock, a. m., on Monday the 10th day of October, 1910.

By order of the Board of Directors.
(Seal) J. L. HUTCHISON,
Secretary.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Pursuant to the written consent of the holders of more than two-thirds of the issued capital stock of the Fresno-San Francisco Oil Company, (a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the state of California) which consent has been duly filed in the office of said corporation in the county of Fresno, said state, on the 12th day of September, 1910, and pursuant to a resolution of the board of directors of said corporation, which resolution was duly passed at a meeting of said board of directors duly called and held at the said office of said corporation, on the 12th day of September, 1910, at which meeting more than a quorum of the directors of said corporation was present.

Notice is hereby given that the principal place of business of said corporation will, on the 30th day of October, 1910, be changed and removed from the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, to the city and county of San Francisco, in said state, at 110 Sutter street therein, after which date the principal place of business of said corporation will be the said city and county of San Francisco, at 110 Sutter street therein.

This notice is published by order of the board of directors of said Fresno-San Francisco Oil Company.

Dated Fresno, Cal., Sept. 15th, 1910.
(Corporate Seal.)
ALBERT RUBENSTEIN,
Secretary of Fresno-San Francisco Oil Company.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of Fresno County, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of William L. Eldridge, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of William L. Eldridge, deceased, to the creditors and to all persons having claims against said estate, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to said administrator, at the law office of M. B. Harris, First National Bank Building, City of Fresno, in said County, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Fresno, State of California.

C. M. HATCH, Administrator
C. L. Russell, attorney for administrator.
Dated September 1st, 1910.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Robert Baird, deceased.

Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California, dated July 11th, 1910, I will sell at private sale the following described real estate, to-wit:

Real property in the County of Fresno, State of California, described as follows:

The East ten acres of the Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Thirteen (13) South, Range Twenty-two (22) East, M. D. B. & M.

The sale will be made on or after the 20th day of September, 1910, and bids will be received at the office of M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, in the First National Bank Building, Fresno, Fresno County, State of California.

Terms of sale, cash in gold coin of the United States, ten per cent of the bid payable at the time of sale and balance upon confirmation of sale by said Court.

CHARLOTTE BAIRD,
Administratrix of the estate of Robert Baird, deceased.
Dated August 31st, 1910.
M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, attorneys for administratrix.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of B. Tufenkjian, sometimes known as Bagdasar Tufenkjian, deceased.

It appearing to this Court by the petition this day presented and filed by Avedis Tufenkjian, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of B. Tufenkjian, sometimes known as Bagdasar Tufenkjian, deceased, that it is necessary to sell the whole of the real estate of said decedent to pay the debts of decedent and the debts, expenses and charges of administration:

It is therefore ordered by this Court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Superior Court on Monday, the 19th day of September, 1910, at the hour of two o'clock P. M., of said day, at the courtroom of Department 2 of said Court, at the courthouse in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to said administrator with the will annexed to sell so much of said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published for four successive weeks in the Fresno Morning Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated: August 10, 1910.
H. Z. AUSTIN,
Judge.
M. B. HARRIS & E. M. HARRIS,
Attorneys for Administrator.

DELINQUENT SALE NOTICE

Baird Oil Company. Location of principal place of business, Room 5, Temple Bar Building, Fresno, California.

Notice—There is delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of Assessment (No. 4) levied on the 27th day of July, 1910, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names	No. of Cert.	No. of Shares	Am't.
Abernathy, E. E.	341	200	$ 5.00
Adams, Mrs. Wm. W.	1029	100	2.00
Adams, Mrs. Wm. W.	1030	100	2.00
Adams, Mrs. Wm. W.	1031	100	2.00
Adams, Mrs. Wm. W.	1032	100	2.00
Adams, Mrs. Wm. W.	1033	100	2.00
Avery, Otto	1080	15	.30
Bachman, H. E.	139	100	2.00
Bachman, H. S.	309	500	10.00
Bachman, H. S.	310	500	10.00
Bachman, H. S.	931	1000	20.00
Bachman, H. S.	932	1000	20.00
Bachman, H. S.	933	500	10.00
Baird, H. C.	993	520	10.40
Baird, Le Roy	853	500	10.00
Baird, Le Roy	998	520	10.40
Beinhorn, C. S.	1081	95	1.90
Boles, J. W.	341	1050	21.00
Bowen, W. D.	1152	1000	20.00
Brown, Geo. E.	1083	45	.90
Brown, Nellie M.	996	520	10.40
Burke, E. E.	1083	17	.34
Camfield, Lloyd	1064	20	.40
Carlton, J. B.	1061	1000	20.00
Carlton, J. B.	1062	1000	20.00
Cobb, Edwin	340	75	1.50
Cobb, J. M.	64	1000	20.00
Cobb, J. M.	103	1000	20.00
Cobb, L. D.	222	375	7.50
Cobbey, J. B.	250	1000	20.00
Coon, Art	657	1000	20.00
Coon, Art	661	500	10.00
Coon, Art	662	500	10.00
Coon, Art	664	208	4.16
Corrick, Mary A.	811	500	10.00
Corrick, Mary A.	334	250	5.00
Cross, H. Milton	877	500	10.00
Cross, H. Milton	878	500	10.00
Cross, H. Milton	879	500	10.00
Cross, H. Milton	880	500	10.00
Cross, M. B.	883	500	10.00
Cross, M. B.	881	500	10.00
Cross, M. B.	1034	2000	40.00
Cutten, C. R.	961	500	10.00
Cutten, C. R.	962	500	10.00
Cutten, C. R.	963	1000	20.00
Dahms, Chas.	94	1000	20.00
Daily, F. H.	1064	2000	40.00
Dow, F. J.	838	457	9.14
Emerzian, Martin	224	250	5.00
Francis, L.	411	100	2.00
Genaler, Mrs. M. E.	1038	750	15.00
Gregory, F. W. (Trustee)	565	1000	20.00
Gregory, F. W. (Trustee)	558	43	.86
Gregory, F. W. (Trustee)	1095	95	1.90
Griffin, J. M.	413	500	10.00
Hamilton, W. T.	20	500	10.00
Hamilton, W. T.	229	1500	30.00
Hamilton, Mrs. W. T.	109	625	12.50
Hastain, Stella F.	1000	520	10.40
Hastain, Stella F.	1127	131	2.62
Hatch, E. P.	1086	7	.14
Hope, Frank E.	221	1000	20.00
Howeth, T. A.	654	1000	20.00
Howeth, T. A.	655	1000	20.00
Howeth, T. A.	656	500	10.00
Hume, Geo.	236	40	.80
Jacobsen, N. C.	1164	1000	20.00
James, Julian	691	5208	104.16
Jansen, Jesse	458	250	5.00
Jansen, Jesse	459	500	10.00
Johnson, W. M.	511	75	1.50
Johnson, W. M.	561	200	4.00
Kidwell, Mabel M.	1001	520	10.40
Kirkham, Geo.	431	100	2.00
Kirkham, Geo.	438	50	1.00
Kurtz, E. C.	1089	2530	50.60
Kurtz, E. C.	1090	588	11.76
Kurtz, E. C.	1091	555	11.10
Kurtz, E. C.	1092	555	11.10
Kurtz, E. C.	1093	555	11.10
Kurtz, E. C.	1094	560	11.20
Kurtz, E. C.	1095	285	5.70
Kurtz, E. C.	1096	280	5.60
Kurtz, E. C.	1097	275	5.50
Kurtz, E. C.	1098	275	5.50
Kurtz, E. C.	1099	280	5.60
Kurtz, E. C.	1100	280	5.60
Kurtz, E. C.	1101	280	5.60
Kurtz, E. C.	1102	280	5.60
Kurtz, E. C.	1103	280	5.60
Kurtz, E. C.	1104	285	5.70
Kurtz, E. C.	1105	285	5.70
Kurtz, E. C.	1106	275	5.50
Kurtz, E. C.	1107	270	5.40
Kurtz, E. C.	1108	280	5.60
Kurtz, E. C.	1109	275	5.50
Kurtz, E. C.	1110	280	5.60
Kurtz, E. C.	1111	275	5.50
Kurtz, E. C.	1112	270	5.40
Kurtz, E. C.	1113	275	5.50
Kurtz, E. C.	1114	275	5.50
Kurtz, E. C.	1115	280	5.60
Kurtz, E. C.	1116	172	3.44
Laird, L. N.	1170	3208	64.16
Lauteren, Gertrude	718	500	10.00
Lockwood, A. T.	1072	500	10.00
McDonald, R.	14	132	2.64
McDonald, R.	48	250	5.00
McDonald, R.	229	250	5.00
McDonald, R.	357	250	5.00
McDonald, R.	455	250	5.00
Newman, Margaret E.	1140	250	5.00
Newman, Ollis W.	1129	250	5.00
Phillips, W. W.	1079	1072	21.44
Ragsdale, J. W.	954	500	10.00
Read, L. B.	888	750	15.00
Rinehart, Bert	140	100	2.00
Robertson, Gladys	673	200	4.00
Sahlinger, Robt. R.	393	750	15.00
Seeberg, C. P.	246	1000	20.00
Seigman, F.	158	200	4.00
Sherman, H. W.	805	208	4.16
Sibley, R. D.	1168	1000	20.00
Smith, T. R.	884	100	2.00
Smith, T. R.	886	100	2.00
Smith, T. R.	887	100	2.00
Taft, S. E.	1142	1000	20.00
True, Mrs. E. H.	317	500	10.00
Wallace, H. L.	1087	21	.42
Wallace, Robt.	1014	300	6.00
Waltman, J. A.	1088	302	6.04
Williams, Minnie L.	997	520	10.40
Webb, F. M.	611	100	2.00
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Webb, F. M.	767	100	2.00
Webb, F. M.	768	100	2.00
Webb, F. M.	770	100	2.00
Webb, F. M.	900	5000	100.00
Webb, F. M.	1130	1000	20.00
Webb, F. M.	1067	500	10.00
Webb, F. M.	1131	1140	22.80
Yates, W. C.	869	1000	20.00
Yates, W. C.	1004	1000	20.00
Young, J. C.	1128	670	13.40

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors, made on the 27th day of July, 1910, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold, at public auction at the office of the corporation, Room 5, Temple Bar Building, Fresno, California, on the 27th day of September, 1910, at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. of such day, to pay delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

FRANK KAUKE, Secretary.
Office, Room 5, Temple Bar Building, Fresno, California.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET

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City Justice.
GEO. B. GRAHAM.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Joseph Vandor, an incompetent person.

Paul E. Vander, the guardian of the estate of Joseph A. Vandor, an incompetent person, having filed his petition herein praying for an order to sell a one-fourth (¼) interest of said incompetent in and to lots numbered twenty-five (25) and twenty-six (26) in block twenty-two (22) of Belmont Addition to the town, now city, of Fresno, as per map thereof now on file and of record in the office of the county recorder of the county of Fresno, State of California, it is therefore

Ordered, by the judge of this court that all persons interested in the estate of said incompetent appear before said Superior Court on the 26 day of September, 1910, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at the court room of said Superior court at the court house, in the county of Fresno to show cause why an order should not be granted to said guardian to sell the interest in the above described real estate of the said incompetent at private sale and that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the Fresno Morning Republican, or a consent of all persons interested in said estate be filed in this court.

Dated this 20 day of August, 1910.
GEO. E. CHURCH,
Judge of the Superior Court.
Everts & Ewing,
Attorneys for Guardian.

Laton and Western Railroad Co.

Bids will be received at the office of the above named company in Laton, California, until Sept. 25th, 1910, for the construction of about 200 lineal feet of pile bridging and about 50 small lumber culverts.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the company.

S. F. COCHRAN, Engineer.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Ann E. Cook, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, J. E. Foster, executor of the estate of Ann E. Cook, deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to said executor, at the office of M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, in the First National Bank Building, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of business of said estate in the County of Fresno, State of California.

Dated: September 6th, 1910.
J. E. FOSTER,
Executor of the estate of Ann E. Cook, deceased.
M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, attorneys for executor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Louis Rowe, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Louis Rowe, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the Bank of Central California, in the City of Fresno, at the corner of "J" and Mariposa streets, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Fresno.

Dated August 23, 1910.
LEOPOLD GUNDELFINGER,
Administrator of the Estate of Louis Rowe, deceased.

DELINQUENT NOTICE.

Guthrey Oil Company. Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California. Location of works, Fresno county, California.

Notice: There are delinquent upon the following described stock on account of Assessment (No. 1), levied on 25th day of July, 1910, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Name.	No. Certificate.	No. Shares.	Amount
American Improvement Co., Pledgee	14	50,000	$750

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors, made on the 25th day of July, 1910, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the Company, 355 Battery street, San Francisco, California, on Friday, the 23rd day of September, 1910, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

J. P. ROTHWELL, Secretary.
Office, No. 355 Battery street, San Francisco, California.

LOST

LOST—An old fashioned gold bracelet, valued as a keepsake. Reward. Leave at Crescent Stables.

LOST—Pair nose glasses in leather case. Return to A. W. Boughton, S. P. Freight Office. Reward.

LOST—Bird dog, 1 year old, water spaniel and liewerwyn, brown color, white breast, white tip on tail. Return or notify Army Stable.

LOST—Medium sized black horse with tie-rope and chain attached to bucky seat. Tel. O. E. Kunde, Main 1579R.

LOST—Large Waltham watch, solid gold case, ring at stem gone. Return to this Office. Reward $15.00.

LOST—On Bakersfield road near Selma small grip containing fishing tackle, etc. Suitable reward if returned to Sam Sweltzer, Bakersfield.

LOST—Small white mare mule, halter on. Return to L. S. Leavitt, West Park. Reward. Phone State 2042.

LOST—A Republican receipt book on 9:20 train from Coalinga. Finder return to Republican office.

LOST—Shriner's Masonic pin. Phone Main 138. Reward.

FOUND

FOUND—Tulare High school pin. Apply Republican office.

FOUND—Portland, Oregon, medical pin. Call Republican office.

FOUND—A lady's gold watch. Finder can have same by calling at Republican office, proving property and paying for ad.

FOUND—Lady's brown coat on circus grounds. Call at 1110 B St.

TAKEN UP

2 DARK BAY geldings, 1 light bay, two 3 years, one 1 year; one, white spot forehead, right hind foot white; bay, left hind foot white. A. L. Kirby, Clovis.

POLITICAL CARDS

CHAS. McCARDLE

Regular Democratic nominee for County Recorder. Election Nov. 8, 1910.

GEO. W. SMITH
(Incumbent.)

Regular Democratic nominee for Justice of the Peace, Third Township. Election Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1910.

CHRIS. JORGENSEN

Regular Democratic nominee for Supervisor, First District.

Election Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1910.

G. P. CUMMINGS

Regular Democratic Nominee for Assessor.

Election Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1910.

THOMAS MARTIN

Democratic nominee for Supervisor, Fourth District.

Your support solicited. Election Nov. 8, 1910.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of A. O. Johnson, deceased.

Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California, dated August 29th, 1910, I will sell at private sale the following described real estate, to-wit:

Real property in the County of Fresno, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 22 in Block 21 of the Town, now City, of Fresno, according to the map of the town of Fresno filed in the office of the County Recorder of Fresno County, California, on June 8th, 1876;

Lot 23 in Block 21 of the Town, now City, of Fresno, according to the map of the town of Fresno filed in the office of the County Recorder of Fresno County, California, on June 8th, 1876;

Lots 8 and 9 in Block 14 of Grand Avenue Park, according to the map thereof on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder of Fresno County, California;

Lots 10 and 11 in Block 14 of Grand Avenue Park, according to the map thereof on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder of Fresno County, California;

The sale will be made on or after the 3rd day of October, 1910, and bids will be received at the office of M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, in the First National Bank Building, Fresno, Fresno County, State of California.

Terms of sale, cash in gold coin of the United States, ten per cent of the bid payable at the time of sale and balance upon confirmation of sale by said Court.

Dated: September 13th, 1910.
D. B. JOHNSON,
Administrator of the estate of A. O. Johnson, deceased.
M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, attorneys for administrator.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT

Coalinga Crown Oil Company, a corporation, with its principal place of business at Fresno, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of said company, held on the 5th day of September, 1910, Assessment No. 2, of five (5) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately to A. M. Drew, secretary, at his office in the Temple Bar building, Fresno City, California. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 5th day of October, 1910, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 20th day of October, 1910, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

Dated this 5th day of September, 1910.
A. M. DREW, Secretary.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Louis Serradell.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Louis Serradell, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to W. E. Crane, administrator, at the office of Barnard & Watters, Rooms 10 and 11, Union National Bank Building, in the City of Fresno, Fresno County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

W. E. CRANE, Administrator.
Fresno, California, September 8, 1910.
Barnard & Watters, attorneys for administrator.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION

B. E. GLASGOW, Expert piano tuning and repairing. Electric and player pianos a specialty. 2029 Fresno St. Phone Main 1120.

S. SAMELSON, Teacher violin and other string instruments, at his or pupils' residence. 149 Wagner Ave. (Phone Main 1930L.)

E. J. CHAMBERLAIN, scientific piano tuner. Residence 1041 Mono Ave. Phone Main 1137. All work guaranteed to be satisfactory.

R. H. ALDRED of New York, teacher of piano and theory, announces he will receive a limited number of pupils. Concert engagements. Studio 1124 J St. Phone Main 2712.

VIOLIN—W. FLANDERS SETCHEL, G. S. M. (London, Eng.), will be at studio, 213 Edgerly Bldg., from 2 to 5 daily to arrange hours of instruction. Sevcik (master of Kubelik, Marie Hall, etc.) method a specialty.

MISS CLARA PETTITT, teacher of piano. Studio 1430 K St. Phone Main 2712.

MISS ZOE GLASGOW, teacher of piano. Main 1234.

MISS FANNIE HARRIS, graduate Kings Conservatory, Leschetizky method, will take limited number of pupils on piano. Studio 118 N St.

MARTHA LOUISE HARRIS, pianist and teacher. Seven years' experience in Eastern college and conservatory. Most up to date methods used. 1929 O St. Phone Main 740.

MISS CATHERINE BALTHIS, voice culture. Phone Main 2882.

MISS MARGUERITE BALTHIS, piano, mandolin, violin and banjo. Phone Main 2882.

PROFESSOR THEO. REITZ, teacher of violin and piano. Studio 721 N St. Phone 1968 L.

MISS RINNIE CONNER, piano lessons at the home if desired. Phone State 2846.

OTTO KOCH—Pianos rebuilt, tuned and regulated. Phone Main 1311. Residence 323 Forsyth Bldg.

PROF. GEORGE HASTINGS—Violin, piano, etc. Studio now open. 2628 Fresno. Main 2824.

PROF. JOHN LION, author of "Three Gems in One," unique, teaches piano, violin, clarionet. Studio 1563 J St. Main 308.

THE RIGGS STUDIOS—Scientific instruction in voice culture and violin playing. 1358 L St.

LADY PIANO TEACHER from the East wishes pupils at 50c. per hour. Main 2908. 720 N St.

MRS. LILLIAN DILLABAUGH, piano, will resume teaching September 12. Studio 1033 I St. State 2136.

FOR SALE—STOCK.

FOR SALE—Three fresh young cows. Mrs. Williams, Belmont and East Aves.

FOR SALE—Two delivery horses, one all purpose horse, one light mountain wagon. Blackstone Hay Market, O and Blackstone.

FOR SALE—2 nice work or driving horses, weight about 1150 lbs.; also cheap driving or riding horse. Apply 144 San Pablo Ave.

FOR SALE—25 head of dairy cows. Z. Crooker, Washington Ave. between Blyth and Cornelia.

1 CHOICE YOUNG cow, 5 work and driving horses, weight from 1000 to 1500 lbs. J. A. Ellis, 3039 Thomas Ave.

FOR SALE—Four iron gray 3 year old colts, one sorrel, one black 3 year old, one gray 4 year old driving horse, one saddle pony, a gentle donkey for children to ride or drive. A. D. Green's ranch, corner West and Jensen Aves. Phone Sub. 3552.

FOR SALE—Young gentle driving mare. Main 1842 L, 2162 F St.

FOR SALE—Al team, all round work horses, also young cow. J. Canham, White's Bridge road, second house east Hughes Ave.

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow. Fresno Ave., 6 blocks north Belmont school.

FOR SALE—Two driving horses, well matched. J. A. Johansen, Monmouth, Cal.

CASH PAID for old bulls, dry cows, any live stock suitable for chicken feed. Smith Ranch, R. 3, Box 47, Belmont, 6 miles west of Fresno.

FOR SALE—5 good work horses, weigh from 1200 to 1400 lbs., 4 to 7 years old. Inquire at 111 South F St. or phone Main 2513.

FOR SALE—Span of 4 year old mules, weight 1400 lbs. Kern St. Stables.

AUCTION.

We will sell Saturday, September 17, at 1:30 p. m. 50 head of broke and unbroken horses weighing from 800 lbs. to 1400 lbs. These are all northern horses and will be sold to the highest bidder. This stock can be seen at the Crescent Stables all this week. Simpson Bros., owners.

FOR SALE OR TRADE for work stock: A number of brood mares and ten head of saddle and driving horses, some broke and some unbroken; also some young mules and horses to trade for work stock. Come at once if you mean business. 1½ miles south of Camden, Elm Ave. Address H. L. Gepford, Laton.

FOR SALE or exchange for mules, span of 4 year old mares and nice saddle horse, also span of mules for rent. T. E. Huff, 2577 Washington Ave.

FOR SALE—Two 4-year-old geldings, weight 2400 pounds. Eleven miles south on Elm Ave. Martin Beck.

FOR SALE—Gentle family cow. Apply 125 Valeria, rear, mornings or evenings.

FOR SALE—Well broke bay pony six years old, ride or drive, single or double. Apply Hector Burness, Fresno.

FOR SALE—Fine brood sows forward in pig; also match team of young horses weighing 1150 each, all raised on Grand Central Farm. Apply to Joe Matthews, Hotel.

FOR SALE—Team of work mares, wagon and harness. 356 Park Ave.

FOR SALE—Some good young horses at Fresno City Hay Market.

FOR SALE—1 span of mules, $150.00, 1 delivery horse, $100.00. Inquire at Ventura Stables.

ARABIAN JACKS for sale or on shares to responsible parties. B. Homsey, 1356 I St.

Physicians and Surgeons

STOMACH, liver, kidney, malarial and intestinal disorders cured. Book free. Castle Hot Springs, Middletown, Cal.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

THE CRAVEN SANITARIUM, 800 K St. Fresno. Phone Main 356. Apply Miss Jeanie Craven.

Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the Twenty-Two Oil Company, a Corporation.

Notice is hereby given that by order of the Board of Directors of the Twenty-two Oil Company, a corporation, a special meeting of the stockholders of said corporation will be held at the office of said company, Rooms 7 and 8 in the Fiske building, city of Fresno, county of Fresno, California, on the 3rd day of September, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day.

E. A. WILLIAMS,
Secretary of the Twenty-two Oil Co., a Corporation.

Business Opportunities

HEALTH AND COMFORT SHOE PARLOR, sells correct shoes only. Saves money; cures feet troubles. 352 Glenn Ave. (N St.), Fresno.

FOR SALE—A general merchandise store, carrying a well assorted up to dates stock of goods, in a bright pushing little town of about fifteen hundred inhabitants, situated in the most prosperous part of the San Joaquin valley, good school and church privileges. We have always done a cash business and our trade is first class. Address H. M., Box 2, Republican.

FOR SALE—Good paying business, big profits. About $300 will buy it if taken at once. Other business interests only reason for selling. Apply G. S., Box 2, Republican.

FOR SALE BY OWNER—Store and stock, 6 living rooms in rear and outbuildings on 6 lots facing Blackstone Ave. Inquire at store, 809 Blackstone Ave.

I HAVE ten pieces of good alfalfa land, fifteen to forty feet to water, now being developed. 2 to 6 miles to rail, very cheap. Box 500, Fresno. D. J. Canty.

BUSINESS FOR SALE—A good business in theatrical line. Address P. O. Box 783.

FIRST CLASS OPENING for general country store at new settlement Clotho on Waverley Tract, Fresno county. Address Hector Burness, Fresno.

BUSINESS CARDS

FRESNO MILLINERY CO., 1045 I, make a specialty of $3 and $5 hats. Old hats remade like new, feathers cleaned and curled.

DR. C. E. EDDY, Chiropractic physician. Lady attendant. Hours 9-12 and 2-5. Rooms 137 and 138, Edgerly Building, Fresno. Closed Saturdays. Office phone Main 174, residence phone Main 2584.

HOME MILLINERY—Latest designs, full line of everything, cheapest place in town. Why not? No big rent. Order work a specialty; feathers curled and dyed. Open evenings. Mrs. G. Marie Orr, 119 Theata St. Main 1485.

DAVID KWAN, Chinese interpreter and commercial agency. 1443 Tulare. Rooms 1 and 2.

HOPPER'S LIVERY STABLE, 1823 Merced St. between H and I St. Telephone Main 42.

PARISIAN LAUNDRY—First class work a specialty. Tel. Main 633.

FUGI LAUNDRY—Work done by hand; ladies' clothes our specialty. 925 G. Phone China 192.

PAPER HANGING, 15c a roll and up. Dell Marine. Phone Main 2026 Y.

CALIFORNIA RESTAURANT serves the best 20c. meal in the city. 905 G St.

RAISIN CITY TENT & AWNING CO. for prices on tents, awnings and camp supplies. 657 I St. Phone Main 1766.

ODA LAUNDRY—Best work, lowest prices. Work called for and delivered. 946 E. Phone China 731.

ALAMEDA RUG WORKS—Rugs from carpets. B. F. Sitter, 3320 Kern Ave. Main 2878.

STORY'S CARPET CLEANING & RENOVATING WORKS takes up, cleans, relays and makes over carpets. Phone Main 355.

SKELTON BROS.' vacuum cleans carpets on the floor. Good work guaranteed. Phone 2446.

NOTARY PUBLIC—W. M. Strother, Republican building. Telephone Main 97.

YOSEMITE LAUNDRY—Ladies' clothes specialty. Everything hand washed. 1248 Tulare. China 732.

THE NEW CORNER—Sandwiches, tamales a specialty. I and Kern. Main 1020.

CARPENTERING, cabinet making. John Braves, 1937 Merced. Workmanship guaranteed. Charges moderate. Main 3153.

HAROLD GAYOTTE, pastor St. Paul's Methodist church, 2219 Fresno St. Phone Main 196.

THE MIKADO LAUNDRY — Washing done by hand. Fancy clothes a specialty. 840 I St. Phone Main 2436.

ARMORY STABLES, 834 J St.— First class livery. Rubber tire three seater. Boarders solicited. Phone Main 332. Cobb Bros., proprietors.

FRESNO TENT AND AWNING CO., 1912 and 1914 Fresno. Phone Main 663.

ROYAL CAFE, 1826 Mariposa St.—Excellent 20c. meals. Phone Main 640.

THINGS ON WHEELS

FOR SALE OR TRADE—5 passenger Elmore auto. Will trade for city or country property. Main 1402.

ONE SPRING WAGON, 1 Columbus surrey in good condition. Apply 151 Thesta street.

FOR SALE—Five-passenger auto, Al condition; must be sold at once at a sacrifice, $250.00. Apply 921 L St.

1910 FIVE PASSENGER Hudson touring car, run three thousand miles. Fully equipped, best of condition. Apply

MEETING NOTICES

GEORGE A. CUSTER CIRCLE NO. 18, Ladies of the G. A. R. meet first and fourth Saturday afternoons of each month at 2 o'clock, Risley hall on Fresno street. Mrs. Minnie M. Mudge, president, Miss Jennie Weigamott, secretary.

ATLANTA POST, G. A. R.—Meets the first and third Saturdays of each month at 2 p. m. at Risley hall, Fresno street. All members in good standing invited. Henry Martin, Com. H. V. Parker, Adjt.

REAL ESTATE—City

VAN NESS avenue residence, large two story, eight rooms, an excellent home.
FORTHCAMP AVENUE lots, east frontage, two to six lots.
YOSEMITE AVENUE house, six good rooms, splendid house; very reasonable.
MODERN HOUSE, $200 cash; five rooms, plastered, bath, sewer, gas, electric lights, stationary tubs, brick foundation; balance $20 month, 8 per cent.
A FEW LOTS left (50x150), $350, on terms. City water, near car (North Park territory).
CORNER RESIDENCE, six rooms, all conveniences, two screen porches. A splendid buy.
CALAVERAS AVENUE lots, two or four east fronts. Very desirable.
TWO SAN PABLO lots, terms or cash (100 block).
ACRE LOT, east part town, $750.
NEW Abby street house, five rooms, modern.
EWING-McDANIEL CO., 1036 J St.

THE BEST BUY today in lots is at Patterson and Riverbank, because they are booming. Price from $100 and $175 up. Better buy before price will be advanced.
CALIFORNIA GERMAN LAND CO., Exclusive agents. Sequoia Hotel, 926 J St. Phone Main 284.
WE GIVE EVERYBODY A SQUARE DEAL.

FOR SALE—5 rooms and bath, hard finished cottage, furnished or unfurnished, including upright piano; 2 lots, lawn and shade trees. $1000 down. Owner, 1212 U St. Main 1206.

EWING-McDANIEL CO.
BUILDING LOTS ON TERMS

Well Located Residences

City Property Is Our Specialty
EWING-McDANIEL CO., 1036 J St.

7 DWELLINGS, installment plan; $4000 to $2000 each, 15 per cent cash, 1-5 of purchase price monthly. Located between Belmont and Stanislaus streets and Blackstone and Forthcamp avenues.
W. L. CHAPPELL,
1933 Mariposa St. Phone 1550.

FOR SALE—10 lots, four room house, shade and fruit trees. Fine place for chickens. Inquire 136 Bardell St.

CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE
CALIFORNIA GERMAN LAND CO.
7 LOTS, corner opposite Caiwa ice plant, 6 room house, excellent cellar, good pump water, shade, sheds, barns, good corner. $4000. Terms.
5 ROOM house on U St. 50x125 lot, high ceilings, sleeping porch, $2200 furnished; $2000 unfurnished. $1000 down, balance to suit.
CALIFORNIA GERMAN LAND CO.
Sequoia Hotel, 926 J St. Phone Main 284

PEARSON'S REALTY EXCHANGE.
1844 Tulare St.
$1600. EASY TERMS—4 rooms and screen porch, plastered, all modern conveniences; lawn, garden, fruit, shade, cement walks. A good investment property.
$790—neat little 4 room cottage with summer kitchen; well fenced, fine shade; close to school.
$1650—corner property, 100x150, nicely fenced; 6 room house, good barn and corral, plenty shade, large assortment of fruit. Easy reach of S. P. roundhouse.
$2500.—Another fine buy for less; 6 large rooms on big lot, close to school, cars and business center, south of Tulare, but a dandy modern home; barn, auto shed, fruit, shade, etc. Would take a smaller home in exchange.
WE HAVE picked up an exceptionally fine piece of land, all leveled, 6 miles out; 5 room house and large barn. $2500. ½ cash. This is a rare find.
10 ACRES, 2 miles out, just off Kearney Avenue; all Muscats in full bearing; fine income property. $2500. A beautiful home site at about the price of a good pair of city lots.
PEARSON'S REALTY EXCHANGE.

9 Room house on J street, close in, $6000.
10 Room house on Van Ness, $6500.
7 Room house on Nellsen, $5500.
6 Room house on Theata, with sleeping porch, plenty of shade and modern; lot 55x125. This is a snap at $3500.
Swell new 6 room bungalow, 2 lots within four blocks of court house for $2750. Terms.
Any amount of 5 and 6 room houses from $1000 to $3500 on easy payments. Ring up and our auto will call for you and you can see any kind of house you want.
O. T. McCOON,
Main 626. Entrance Forsyth Bldg.

FOR SALE OR RENT—New 7 room bungalow, 746 Stockton St. Phone Main 2183.

FOR SALE—Furnished modern cottage. Bargain if taken at once. Owner leaving town. 158 Nellsen Ave.

FOR SALE—On Fourth street, 1 block off Belmont, 1 acre improved with pumping plant. Cheap for cash.

BUSINESS LOTS CHEAP.
I have 50x150 feet on J street between Kern and Inyo streets that I will sell at a bargain if taken at once. "Owner," Box 17, Republican office.

FOR SALE—$1600 if taken soon, 5 room modern cottage, White Ave. $400 cash. A bargain.
MONTGOMERY & BACON, Holland Bldg.
$1200—Four room house, with one and half lots on Park Ave., for $200 cash, balance $16 per month.
$450—Two lots, corner Illinois and Orchard.
$3200—Six room house and two lots, Thomas Ave., one block from car line. Owner will trade this for a ten acre tract.
$6500—Eight room two story house, modern, with lot 75 by 260 feet, on Glenn Ave. Easy terms.

A FINE modern home, with two corner lots on K St. A nice home for some one at a price that will attract. Price on application at our office.
KITTRELL & NEES, 1144 J St.

22 LOTS well located and on easy terms at from $250 to $500 each.
3 DWELLINGS, one 5 room the other 6 room, at reasonable figures and on terms.
W. L. CHAPPELL, 1933 Mariposa St. Phone Main 1550 or 3177

FOR SALE—One acre set to choice varieties of fruit including 14 bearing orange trees, some berries, located 5 blocks north of Belmont on Fresno Ave. Call between 1 and 4.

FOR SALE—On Madison Ave., 6 lots, improved. Call mornings. 3370 Madison.

TWO BEAUTIFUL BUYS
NEW 5 ROOM bungalow, north part, modern, lawn, fruit and shade trees. $3000, $400 cash, balance $20 monthly.
ONE AND ½ ACRES, 5 room house modern, 2 dozen orange trees, 7 years old; all kinds of fruit and berries, inside of city limits, between Forthcamp and Blackstone Aves. $4250, $1500 cash, balance to suit.
H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO., Fiske Bldg.

FOR SALE—
2 CORNER LOTS, fine building site, good location. Price on application. Terms to suit purchaser.
5 LOTS near car line. Price — terms to suit.
KITTRELL & NEES,
1144 J St. Phone 72.

REAL ESTATE—City

FREE! FREE! FREE!
PAY FOR the house and we will give you the lots free. 5 rooms, plastered, 7 lots, nice shade. Owner compelled to sell at a loss. See us now if you want the biggest bargain in town.
SAN JOAQUIN INVESTMENT CO. INC.
1154 I St.

2 CORNER LOTS, Abby and Clay.
2 CORNER LOTS, Madison and Fourth.
2 CORNER LOTS, Sumner and Coast.
2 CORNER LOTS, McKenzie and Angus.
2 CORNER LOTS, Tulare and Second.
2 CORNER LOTS, First and Washington.
2 CORNER LOTS, H and Kern.
2 CORNER LOTS, Glenn and La Salle.
LOTS of inside lots, cheap.
H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO., Fiske Bldg.

FOR SALE OR LEASE—8 Room house, partly furnished, by owner at place. 263 Glenn avenue.

FOR SALE—
4 ROOM house on San Pablo, $1950.
5 ROOM house on Blackstone, $2250.
6 ROOM house on Sumner, $2500.
5 ROOM house on Callisch, $2500.
5 ROOM house on White Ave., $1800.
5 ROOM house on Park Ave., $1300.
THESE can be bought with small payments down, balance like rent.
MATTHEW & BROWN
2130 Tulare St. Phone Main 874

$2850—Good six room modern cottage with lots, well improved; $1000 cash. Apply to owner. 172 Yosemite Ave.

STOP PAYING RENT
BUILD a home in Kleinhurst.
FINE LOTS with city water, $100 to $150 $10 down, $1 a week, no interest, no taxes, 3½ blocks north of Fresno St. car line.
L. W. KLEIN & CO., 1154 I St.

556 VAN NESS—Modern five room cottage, two lots, garage. Bargain for cash.

SMITH & CONNELLY
$900—4 room cottage and 4 lots.
$1350—New 4 room bungalow and 3 lots, fruit and vines.
$1050—5 room cottage and 2 lots, south end of town. Only $200 down.
$650—3 room cottage and 2 lots, south end, $200 cash.
$2000—New 6 room cottage and 3 lots, north of town. Part cash or will take city property and $200 cash.
$2500—New modern 6 room cottage. Only $650 cash.
$2600—New modern bungalow, all conveniences, $1000 cash.
$5500—Fine new modern 8 room house, close in. A fine place. $3000 cash, balance easy.
SMITH & CONNELLY
1151 J St. Phone Main 608

CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.
$1200—55x150 feet on Forthcamp avenue, on corner. A snap for a few days.
$225—Lots on White avenue near Fresno avenue. Terms $20.00 cash, balance $5 per month.
$1200—4-room house and lots on Park avenue, 2 blocks from car line, $200.00 cash, balance $16.00 per month.
$2000—4-room house and 4 lots in East Fresno, 2 blocks from car line. Terms $700.00 cash, balance $15.00 per month.
KITTRELL & NEES,
1144 J St.

FOR SALE.
Two lots near Blackstone avenue car line, on Inglewood avenue.
Four lots on San Pablo avenue, just north of McKenzie avenue.
Forty acres, leveled and ready to plant; well, small house and barn on property.
See S. W. MARSHALL COMPANY.
Phone Main 305.

REAL ESTATE—Country

FOR SALE—A choice 40 acre vineyard with family orchard 5 years old; peach trees, 6 and 7 year old vines, with all improvements. On Wildflower road, 1½ mile south of Fowler. Call on the place. Owner, J. F. Hedrick.

SELL OR TRADE—40 acres on Dry Creek, near Clovis. Will consider automobile, stock or foothill ranch. Address J. L. D., Clovis.

COUNTRY PROPERTY FOR SALE.
CALIFORNIA GERMAN LAND CO.
580, 80, 40 ACRES, half mile from Caruthers, $60 acre; special inducement made to buyer of first 40. Terms to suit.
40 ACRES, Temperance Colony, Malaga, Muscats, oranges, alfalfa, boxes, trays, implements complete. Fair house. Best 40 in that country. $18,900. Good safe investment.
60 ACRES, 7 miles south, Muscats, peaches, alfalfa, good 7 room house. $15,000, half cash, balance to suit.
WE HAVE more of them.
CALIFORNIA GERMAN LAND CO.
Sequoia Hotel, 926 J St. Phone Main 284.
WE GIVE everybody a square deal.

FOR SALE—Two orange groves, 300 acres orange land in the famous Mt. Campbell orange district. Bargains and must be sold at once. W. N. Rohrer, Reedley, Cal. Phone Farmers 451, Reedley Exchange.

20 ACRES east of Fresno; 12 acres in vines, 2 acres peaches, 4 alfalfa; house, barn, implements, wagon, buggy, cow; everything you need for $3000. Only $1000 down.
O. T. McCOON,
Main 626. Entrance Forsyth Bldg.

FOR SALE—30 Acres; 12 acres peaches, 18 acres grapes, full bearing; house, barn, horses, tools, etc. $8500. Terms.
LIST your county or city property with us. We have buyers.
STANFORD & HUTCHINSON,
R 116 Edgerly Building.

20 ACRES, four miles north; 11 acres apricots, 7 acres peaches, 1 acre alfalfa; house, barn and implements. $5000, $1600 down.
O. T. McCOON,
Main 626. Entrance Forsyth Bldg.

VINEYARDS WANTED.
We have clients for some good 40 and 80 acre raisin vineyards. Give full description, price, etc., and address W. E. Bush & Co., 1140 J St.

$4000—40 ACRES. 12 acres Muscats, 5 acres Thompsons, 3 acres Malagas, 8 acres alfalfa, all about two years old.
$2500—20 ACRES. 10 acres alfalfa, good 4 room house and good barn, $1500 cash, balance terms.
HEYDEN & BRION,
2138 Tulare St. Phone Main 458.

320 ACRE Dairy ranch in alfalfa, 12 miles from Fresno. No. 1 place for $110 per acre. Will sell 50 head of cows.
O. T. McCOON,
Main 626. Entrance Forsyth Bldg.

FOR SALE—Good dairy ranch of 320 acres; close to town; $5000 worth of improvements, buildings, practically new. A bargain if taken soon. Would consider part exchange for good income fruit ranch.
20 ACRES partly improved, suitable for any purpose, convenient to Fresno. For sale or exchange for income ranch of equal value. Address Box 533, Fresno.

MENDOTA LANDS—See Al Braverman.

MATTHEW & BROWN
20 ACRES, large barn, small house, good soil, 7 acres peaches, 10 alfalfa, Church water, small pumping plant. Price $4750, $750 cash, balance easy.
MATTHEW & BROWN
2130 Tulare St. Main 874

FOR SALE—
40 ACRES, 14 Muscats, 6 acres peaches, 4 alfalfa, good team, wagon and harness, 2 heifers, 4 room house, Jap house, 2 chicken houses, blacksmith shop and all tools. $5000. Terms.
10 ACRES near Roeding park. $3000
20 NEAR McKinley school. $1800.
ANYTHING you want, city or country.
J. H. CLUCK, 1126 J St.

MATTHEW & BROWN
EXTRAORDINARY OPPORTUNITY.
20 ACRES all in alfalfa. Price $3500. Terms.
40 ACRES, 3 room house, all implements, horses, two barns, 15 milch cows. Good dairy ranch. Price $7500, $3000 down, 3 miles out.
MATTHEW & BROWN
2130 Tulare. Main 784.

ESMERALDA VINEYARD —120 acres edge of town. Fine for subdivision.
AL BRAVERMAN, Land Company Bldg.

REAL ESTATE—Country

THIS PLACE MUST SELL—Only $1800 cash, balance 1, 2, 3, 4 years, 6 per cent. 20 acres planted vines, trees, alfalfa, most all full bearing. Church ditch, no hardpan; 4 room house, barn, plenty shade, 1½ miles Reedley, ½ mile Riverside school. W. P. Harlan, Reedley, Cal. R. R. No. 1, Box 50 A.

LAST CHANCE for homestead on West Side. Relinquishment quarter section, sandy loam, main road to Coalinga, twenty-two miles from Mendota, mile to water, mail at Halfway station, Associated Pipe Line, thirty men employed, several families, substantial cabin sixteen by eighteen, corral, thirty-five acres plowed, grain crop every year; neighbors on two sides. Sick relatives cause of sale. $100
G. COOK, Palo Alto, Cal.

FOR SALE—Suburban home, 2½ miles from San Luis Obispo, 14 acres, 9 acres clear, balance fruit and ornamental trees, flowers, etc.; no better home in county. Modern nine room house, outbuildings, convenient to state polytechnic school. Bargain if sold at once. Address E. Mills, San Luis Obispo, Cal.

20 ACRES finest unimproved land near Turlock. First class water right. Will trade for Fresno property.
5 ACRES all improved, 3 miles north of Fresno. Cheap.
5 ACRES 2 blocks from city limits, good house, barn and land improvements.
SHEPHERD-TEAGUE CO.

FOR SALE—20 acre Muscat vineyard, 18 acres just bearing, 3½ years old; 9 miles northeast of Fresno and 3½ miles west of Clovis. Price $3000 cash. Address "B", P. O. Box 1030, Fresno.

PIERCE & ANDERSON

75 ACRES near Selma, 41 vineyard, 23 alfalfa, house, barn, etc. $250 per acre.

40 ACRES near Lone Star, all in vineyard and orchard, bearing; good house, barn and implements, $12,500.

40 ACRES near Clovis, 37 in vineyard, balance orchard, house, etc., $12,000.

30 ACRES orchard and vineyard, bearing; good soil, $5000. Easy terms.

20 ACRES Muscat and alfalfa $3750.

6 ROOM bungalow, Calaveras Ave., $4250
6 ROOM bungalow, Franklin Ave., $4000.
8 ROOM house on North L St., $3250, $350 down, monthly payments.
5 ROOM house, Van Ness Ave., $3000.
5 ROOM house, near new car barn, $2000 on easy terms.
5 ROOM house, Howard St., $1600.

1½ LOTS on Nelisen Ave., $1000.
2 LOTS on Blackstone Ave., $800.
2 LOTS on San Pablo Ave., $800.
5 LOTS, corner Caso Blanso and Harvey Aves. $750.
2 LOTS on Thomas Ave., $250.

DON'T FORGET, IT WILL PAY YOU TO SEE
PIERCE & ANDERSON
FOR LANDS, HOUSES AND LOTS.
1152 J St. Phone Main 55.
LOS ANGELES BRANCH OFFICE,
420 STORY BLDG.

1½ ACRE suburban home, 3 blocks car line, all kinds fruit, chickens and all furniture goes. North of city. $4250. Easy terms.
20 ACRES near Clovis, Muscat vines and trees, 6 room house and barn, trays and boxes. $4500. Terms.
20 ACRES, 15 full bearing Muscats, 2½ Sultanas, trays and boxes, 2½ miles from Fresno. $2500. Terms.
30 ACRES, 5 acres Malaga vines, 5 acres Muir peaches, pumping plant, 4 room house; place 3 years old, 3 miles, good location. $3500.
40 ACRES, 3 miles, good location, 23 acres peaches, 6 room house and barn. $6500.
40 ACRES east of Fresno, 25 acres Muscats, 10 acres Malaga, 2 alfalfa, buildings, 1 and 2 years old. $7500. Terms.
60 ACRES, 12 acres Muscats and Thompsons, 25 acres alfalfa; house and barn, fine shade. $7500. Terms.
40 ACRES Barstow district, five acres Muscats, 4 acres trees, 20 acres good alfalfa, 5 cows, 5 horses, buildings. Fine buy, $6800. Terms.
320 ACRES near Caruthers, 5 acres vines, 12 acres alfalfa, 5 room house and barn, $60 per acre.
WE HAVE a fine list of vineyards, orchards and alfalfa ranches. See us before buying. Now is the time to buy.
ALEXANDER LAND CO., 1050 J St.

SOME BEAUTIFUL EXCHANGES.
ONE TO five acres to exchange.
FOUR 5 ACRE tracts to trade.
ONE 10 ACRE place to exchange.
ONE 4 ACRE tract to trade.
SOME of these places are improved and some unimproved, will exchange any one or all for vacant city lots or house and lots, or an automobile.
H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO., Fiske Bldg.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE
5 ACRES, 1½ miles north of Fresno, all in peaches, house, barn, etc., for $2100. Easy terms.
1½ ACRES on Bloomington Ave., with good house, barn, etc., 24 orange trees, strawberries, fruit trees. This is a well improved place and will make a fine home for some one. Price on application at our office.
160 ACRE ranch in Madera county, near river, fine land, good house and buildings. This well improved place can be had for a short time, with a lot of personal property, for $11,000. Easy terms.
KITTRELL & NEES, 1144 J.

4 ALFALFA and dairy propositions, $4000 to $100,000.
4 ORCHARDS and vineyards, 20, 40, 60 and 160 acres. Price $5000 to $32,000. Will take city property on any one of these.
2 QUARTER sections on the West Side.
2 SECTIONS orange land suitable for subdivision, in Porterville country.
W. L. CHAPPELL, 1933 Mariposa St. Phone Main 1550 or 3177

40 ACRES, good soil, 5 miles from Fresno. Price $3500, $500 down, balance 6 per cent interest, long terms.
MATTHEW & BROWN
2130 Tulare. Main 874.

20 ACRES alfalfa, 3 miles out, good house and barn, windmill and tank, family orchard, orange trees, etc. Fine suburban home. Terms.
60 ACRES alfalfa, house, barn, etc., full equipment including stock if desired. Only $3000 cash, balance to suit.
SAN JOAQUIN INVESTMENT CO. INC.
1154 I St.

5 ACRES, SOME BUILDINGS, $1200
FEW fruit trees, water right, nice and level, 1½ miles from Roeding park. Easy payments.
5 ACRES CLOSE TO ZAPP'S PARK
HOUSE, barn and windmill, in fruits and vines, ½ cash, balance to suit buyer.
ONE ACRE LOTS, EASY PAYMENTS
NORTH part of town, $400 to $1100.
ONE ACRE, HOUSE AND SHADE
BERRIES, chicken yards and well, $1100, $60 cash, balance $20 per month.
5 ACRES unimproved, $500, ½ cash.
H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO., Fiske Bldg.

FOR SALE—80 acres Muscats, two, three and six years old; fine land, new trays and sweat boxes, 6 room house, two barns, etc. Temperance Colony. Price only $17,000, small cash payment and balance to suit purchaser. Owner must have change of climate on account of health.
STOCKTON & SPARKMAN,
132 Edgerly Bldg. Main 2142

FOR SALE—
20 ACRES near McKinley school, $250 down, balance on long time and easy terms.
40 ACRES on Belmont, 5 miles west, 20 acres in alfalfa, $800 cash, balance on long time.
20 ACRES in alfalfa. Small payment down and balance on easy terms.
MOORE & OWEN
1064 J St.

VINEYARD AT A BIG BARGAIN
40 ACRE vineyard coming 4 years; small house, large barn, farm tools. $9000, ½ cash, balance to suit.
H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO., Fiske Bldg.

REAL ESTATE—Country

40 ACRES Navels, 8 years, best soil and protection, could not be better. House, barn, pumping plant, many implements; horses and all minor tools, everything here in abundance. Terms to suit. Every reason for sacrificing, at price of only $750 per acre. In 3 years' time your grove will be worth $60,000. The 3 crops will bring you about $10,000 and your yearly income thereafter should be from $12,000 to $20,000 and up. If you are looking for something and want something for a little or nothing, buy this for an investment if nothing more.

ROOMING HOUSE—20 rooms and cigar stand; rent $75, net income $300 per month.

12 ROOMS finely furnished, rent $40, net income $100.

FRESNO REALTY CO., Fiske Bldg.

FOR SALE or will accept light automobile in part payment, 10 acres first class, unimproved land, adjoining town of Reedley, practically level ditch along one side. N. W., Box 47, Republican.

FOR SALE—First class home half mile from Dinuba postoffice, 2 acres in Muscats, 7 acres in Sultanas, all staked and bearing; balance in alfalfa, good 6 room house, barn, windmill and tank; everything new. A snap. Price $6500 cash. See Tom Arthur, Dinuba.

SMITH & CONNELLY
FINE 5 ACRE ranches close to town, all prices from $2100 to $10,000. If you want a suburban home come and talk it over with us. We have too many places to try to advertise them.
$2100—10 ACRES, 6 acres berries, balance grain, close in. Part cash.
$4000—An extra fine 10 acres of peaches and Emperor grapes, all in bearing; nothing finer in country; close to town, buildings. Part cash.
$2300—20 acres fine land and fine alfalfa, buildings. $1150 cash.
$1000—40 acres alfalfa and buildings. Half cash.
$14,000—40 acre vineyard and orchard, close to town; fine 2 story 9 room house, 2 barns, sheds, tank house and windmill, trays, boxes, tools, horses and 16 hogs. This is a fine home.
$16,000—80 acre vineyard and orchard; extra fine land, vines and trees 3 and 4 years, good house and barn. $1200 pumping plant.
$3350—20 acre dairy, good 6 room house, tank house, windmill and pumping plant cost $500; horse, 6 head stock and tools. Part cash; fine shade and a nice home.
SMITH & CONNELLY,
1151 J St. Main 608.

40 ACRES 3 miles north of Selma, 27 acres 3 year old Muscat vines, 10 acres 2 year old Thompson Seedless vines. All nice clean land and vines are in excellent condition. Price $7800, $1800 cash and the balance in three yearly installments.
20 ACRES 2 miles from Selma, 3 acres alfalfa, balance unimproved, 10 inch irrigating well. Price $2000.
SELMA LAND CO., Selma, Cal.

FOR SALE—20 Acres 1 mile from Recreation Park, 14-year-old Muscats, fig tree border, every foot good land and in fine condition, almost ready to subdivide in small tracts. Price $6000.00. Terms.
STOCKTON & SPARKMAN,
Main 2142 132 Edgerly Bldg.

FOR SALE—
160 ACRES, 100 acres in alfalfa, 60 acres in peaches, good buildings, all fenced.
20 ACRES at Clovis, 14 acres in Muscats, 1½ acres in peaches, 4 room house, barn, trays, boxes and implements. $4500. Terms.
20 ACRES 3 miles from Clovis, 10 acres improved, 6 room house and barn. $3250.
WE HAVE city properties from $1000 up to $6000. See us before buying.
ERICKSON & SON, 1140 J St.

FOR SALE—20 Acres 3½ miles from town, all in Muscats and Muir and Lovell peaches, 2 years old. This can be had for a few days for $3750. Small cash payment and balance in 5 years at 6 per cent.
STOCKTON & SPARKMAN,
132 Edgerly Bldg.

FOR SALE—One acre with small house, close to car line, in fine location, $1100, $60 cash and $20 per month.
HAVE VACANT acres at $860 each, same terms, same location.
STOCKTON & SPARKMAN.
132 Edgerly Bldg. Main 2142.

HEALTH
WEALTH
160 ACRE mountain ranch. A beauty. 10 acres in apples, full bearing, 50 acres in vegetables that cannot be equalled, abundance of water, all fenced hog tight; 5 roomed house, 2 barns, good roads to place. Go up in your machine and see it. This is also a grand stock ranch. Only $5000.
50—30 in alfalfa, 10 in Muscats, 6 years old; all fenced, 5 roomed house, good barn, 2 horses, wagon, all trays and implements. $7500.
28 ACRES, 19 in Muscats, $3500.
5 NEAR TOWN, all alfalfa, new house. $1500.
5 NEAR TOWN, $100 per acre; level, water and ditches. $125 down, long time.
1 ACRE, 4 roomed house. Snap at $700.
50 ACRES fine land, $60 per acre. Sell 20 or 40.
CRUTCHER & BARRICK
2033 Mariposa St.

FOR SALE.
$2500.00. Ten acres improved to vines and trees, located 2 miles north of Clovis. No. 1012.
$150.00 PER ACRE. 120 acres northwest of Fresno; 40 acres Muscats 2 years old, 40 acres alfalfa, balance raw land suitable for alfalfa or fruit; Church water right; good new buildings. One-third cash, balance 5 equal payments 6 per cent interest. Adjoining unimproved land sells for same price.
$250.00 each. Lots on Coast avenue near Sumner; ¼ cash, balance 3 equal annual payments.
SUNSET REALTY COMPANY,
1132 Mariposa St. Fresno, Cal.
P. Rice H. O. Davis, H. Jacobsen.

FOR SALE—A splendid buy, 80 acres 5 miles from town, 75 acres full-bearing Muscats; a row of figs around the whole 80; house, barn, etc.; 4 horses, wagons, trays and implements. Only $17,000 and easy terms. The figs alone pay $1800 a year.
STOCKMAN & SPARKMAN,
132 Edgerly Bldg. Main 2142.

FOR SALE BY OWNER—5 acres 4 year old peaches and Thompson Seedless. Fine for suburban home. Will subdivide. Inquire Room 29, Patterson Blk.

FOR SALE—
160 ACRE vineyard, pumping plant and appliances cost $2000. Good five room house, barn and outbuildings, windmill and tank. Price $16,000. Terms.
A FINE BUSINESS property in growing part of city. Income $100 per month. Price $7500. Terms.
TWO 60 ACRE dairy ranches, easy payments.
J. ED. MITCHELL CO.,
2022 Mariposa St. Main 2211

MATTHEW & BROWN
40 ACRES very fine soil, good barn, fair house, 25 acres in alfalfa, 12 acres in vines, family orchard and all implements, horses, cows, everything complete. Must be sold. $1000 down, balance 7 per cent.
MATTHEW & BROWN
2130 Tulare St. Main 874.

GOOD LAND CHEAP
FOR SALE in tracts of 20 acres or more, that splendid body of land located two miles east of Caruthers known as section 9, township 16, range 20. Price $60 an acre with water. Easy terms. Come early and get your pick. Only 640 acres to be sold. Surrounded on all sides by fine vineyards, orchards and alfalfa fields that demonstrate the richness and fertility of section 9.
SCOTT-KNIGHT COMPANY
1840 Tulare St. Hughes Hotel Bldg.

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Some good horses and mules. Dr. R. Williams, 1804 Tulare St. Phone 399.

8 LOTS on Belmont and Fifth St., 1 farm wagon, 1 light spring wagon, 3 top buggies, 1 open buggy, 1 express wagon, 3 buggy poles, 4 pair shafts. J. A. Ellis, 3035 Thomas Ave.

FOR SALE, account leaving city, oak parlor set, iron and brass bed and springs, velour lounge, oak rocker, 3 burner vapor range. Call at No. 2706 Thomas Ave., corner Augusta St.

FOR SALE—Six rooms of complete furniture, all very nearly new. Will sell very reasonable. Call today. 1559 N St.

FOR SALE—Tailor shop, first class condition, good business. A. Harvey, 111 South Church St., Visalia, Cal. Phone Main 411.

FOR SALE—Combination safe, a bargain. Call at 2535 Thomas Ave.

FOR SALE—Barley hay for exchange for horse or cow. L. Bland, Kearney.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Four square pianos, $25 each. Sherman Clay & Co., 1044 I St.

FOR SALE—Cannery peaches. Phone Sub. 2446.

FOR SALE—White Heath peaches at Hasselbalch vineyard. Phone State 2484 Conrad Frisch.

FOR SALE—12-foot shelving, 8 feet high, suitable for a grocery store. Phone 1687. Apply 201 Belmont Ave.

A SNAP—Two good heavy horses for sale at $150. Apply Valley Furniture Co., 1125 K. Phone Main 815.

FOR SALE AND WANTED—Second hand furniture. Subway Furniture Co., 1226 H. Tel 519.

MY BEAUTIFUL new 6 room bungalow must be sold within the next ten days at a great sacrifice. Mrs. Etta Wynn, 314 O St.

CLOSING OUT 6 h. p. engines now, $300. 344 N St.

FOR SALE—735 S St., a complete furnished cottage including a nearly new piano. Will give terms. Phone Main 2556.

FOR SALE—New and second hand furniture at closing out prices; second hand school books. 2230 Tulare.

FOR SALE—$130 certificate on piano at McNiel's Piano House, for $30. Address P. O. Box 836.

BEAUTIFUL WILLOWS and plumage. See them; low prices. 231 Effie. Main 362.

FOR SALE—Nice driving horse, also broke to ride; nice harness, good buggy. Will sell reasonable. Inquire of D. W. Matthew, 2130 Tulare St.

ESTATE LANDS for sale, Standard Accident, Equitable Life and Fire Insurance. Money to loan. Geo. R. Andrews, First National Bank Bldg. Main 231.

ENGINE, 20 horse power; 35 horse power boiler. Inquire at Fresno Steam Laundry, 950 H St.

A FINE LINE of wall paper, groceries and provisions at stupendously low prices. 850 I St. Phone Main 625.

GOOD PAYING RESTAURANT for sale. Inquire City Restaurant, 2008 Second St., Selma.

LUMBER $13.50 at Peterson's mill. Let us figure on your house bill. Address Pine Ridge Lumber Co., Toll House, Cal.

FOR SALE—Splendid fuel, cheaper than wood, apricot pit shells, $4 per ton at Guggenhime & Co., corner of Santa Fe and Ventura Sts.

FINE LINE wall paper and window shades, ½ price. 125 Valeria, rear.

SHOES REPAIRED by modern machinery, sewed soles, 50c and 75c. Modern Electric Shop. 1260 K St.

FOR SALE—Bale ties. Get our prices. Special price for ton lots. J. H. Hill Co.

FOR SALE—All sizes standard water pipe and screw casing from ½ inch to 10 inches; guaranteed good as new. Cheap for cash. Also valves and fittings. Weissbaum Pipe Works, 147 Eleventh St., San Francisco.

WANTED—Situations

WANTED—Position as engineer by experienced party. Inquire 1604 Tulare St. Phone Main 393.

CARPENTER, foreman, employed at present, wishes to make change. J. A. P., Box 54, Republican.

YOUNG MAN requires post in private house or hotel as cook and waiter, good at all housework. Address B. F., Box 25, Republican.

WANTED—A place as housekeeper; am an experienced cook and manager. Address 268 Clark St.

WANTED—Position by Japanese, first class cook, who has experience, many years in California. Must be good wages. Call at S. Yamana, 935 F St. Phone China 762.

WANTED—By experienced clerk position whol-sale house. Call 2041 Inyo.

WANTED—Position as housekeeper. 443 I St.

ELDERLY MAN, temperate habits, wants employment as choreman, city or country. Address Millard, Box 30, Republican.

WANTED—Work by non-union carpenter, contract or day work. Main 1953Y.

YOUNG WOMAN with a daughter 13 years of age, wishes position as housekeeper, for one or two people, near school. City or country. References exchanged. Address A., Republican Office, Box 12.

AGENTS WANTED

WANTED—Solicitors for high grade goods only. Good solicitors can make big money and always please their customers. Box 1246, Fresno.

DRESSMAKING

PLAIN SEWING. Phone Main 973.

FOR MADE to measure tailor suits see Mrs. A. T. Martin, the dressmaker, local representative of Chas. A. Stevens & Bros., Chicago. 1631 J St., Fresno.

MODISTE and ladies' tailoring. Miss Eidson, 125 Calaveras. Main 2559.

DRESSMAKER and tailoress, latest improved dressmaking and tailoring taught. Mrs. C. F. Keen, Rooms 110-111 Edgerly Bldg. Main 1164.

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

J. N. SPROUSE, attorney at law, Short Building, 1023 J St.

STROTHER AND AYNESWORTH, attorneys at law. Offices 120 to 122, Edgerly Bldg.

REAL ESTATE—Country

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Fine income country property. Address B. L. D., Box 36, Republican. No agents.

FOR SALE—50 acres, 40 acres improved in Muscats, Malagas and peaches, 3 acres alfalfa, 7 acres raw land. House, barn, hay, horses, implements and heavy crop. $7500. Easy terms. Will take city property for part. Six miles from town.
STOCKTON & SPARKMAN,
132 Edgerly Bldg. Main 2142.

FOR SALE—93 acres 3½ miles from Fresno, 26 acres Muscats, 15 acres alfalfa, balance in pasture; 13 cows, 20 tons of hay, 2 good barns, etc. Fine for dairy. Price $3200. We can make good terms.
STOCKTON & SPARKMAN,
132 Edgerly Bldg.

HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—Corral and camp man for grading camp. $1.50 and board. H. L. Gepford, Laton, Cal.

WANTED—Men to work in packing house at La Favorita vineyard; steady employment. Phone State 1971.

WANTED—100 Mexicans for cutting and chopping wood. Gonzalo Partida Employment Office, 1513 Tulare St.

WANTED—Barber for today, steady if suited. 1151 K St. Bring your tools.

WANTED—Boys to deliver directories. Call Telephone Bldg. 7.30 a. m. Monday.

WANTED—Errand boy with bicycle. Kutner Goldstein Co.

WANTED—The Santa Fe Railway company wants young men and girls to enter their Telegraph school, located in Los Angeles, to learn telegraphy. Positions as telegraph operators guaranteed. This school has all the Santa Fe main wires, thus assuring a practical education. Students may enter any time. Terms only $5 per month. Write The Santa Fe Telegraph School, Los Angeles, for full particulars.

WANTED—Young man with some experience for office assistant. Address A. B., Box 4, Republican.

WANTED—Dentist as an operator in high class advertising office. Must be registered, of good moral character and between ages of 26 and 40. Address T. R., Box 22, Republican.

MAN TO take care of stable. Will require about 3 hours' work per day. Apply Hobbs-Parsons.

WANTED—Ten pick and shovel men, 5 loggers, for operations at Hume. Direct stage to Hume via Sanger, Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Hume-Bennett Lumber Co., Sanger.

WANTED—Cash boys at Gottschalk's.

WANTED—First class salesman to sell gas engines in Fresno county and adjacent territory. State experience. Answer P. O. Box 791, Fresno.

WANTED—Shinglers, long job. Address X. L., Box 46, Republican.

WANTED—Men to drive Fresno scraper teams. $1.50 and board. H. L. Gepford, Laton, Cal.

WANTED—4 horse scraper teams, $6 and board for man. H. L. Gepford, Laton, Cal.

WANTED—Men at Los Angeles. No expense to learn trade; electricity, automobile, plumbing, bricklaying by actual work on contract jobs. Few months required; 300 students last year. Catalogue free. United Trade School Contracting Co., Los Angeles.

WANTED—Able bodied man for the U. S. Marine Corps, between the ages of 19 and 35. Must be native born or have first papers. Monthly pay $15 to $69. Additional compensation possible. Food, clothing, quarters and medical attendance free. After 30 years service can retire with 75 per cent of pay and allowances. Service on board ship and ashore in all parts of the world. Apply at U. S. Marine Corps recruiting office, Farmers National Bank Bldg., Fresno, Cal.

WANTED—Men for handling brick. Call Sub. 782. Fresno Brick & Tile Co.

I. G. LEVY'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE —Male and female. 907 J St., corner Kern. Hotel Berkeley. Tel. Main 516.

GONZALO PARTIDA Employment Office. Mexican labor a specialty. 1513 Tulare St. Tel. China 702.

JAKE'S EMPLOYMENT BUREAU for reliable help. 1889 Tulare St. Phone Main 351.

PAUL MAYER furnishes male help. H and Kern Sts. Phone Main 490.

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—A girl to wait on table. 905 J. Mayflower restaurant.

WANTED—A good girl to do housework; good wages. 455 M St.

YOUNG GIRL to assist with housework. 1762 L St.

WANTED—Girl to do cooking for family in country. Telephone Mrs. Geo. Roeding. State 2261.

WANTED—Girl to assist with housework or school girl. 1021 S St.

WANTED—Girl about 15 years old to assist with housework; good home. Apply 1520 J St.

WANTED—Girl to do second work. Apply to 920 K St.

WANTED—Girls at Bowen's, 1014 J St.

WANTED—Girl for general housework, small family, good wages paid. Apply 140 Forthcamp Ave.

EXPERIENCED middle aged chambermaid immediately. Sequoia Hotel.

WANTED—Lady presser for ladies' garments; must be experienced; good reference. State salary wanted. Address P. O. Box 1174, Fresno, Calif.

WANTED—Lady who is good cook. Main 2569.

WANTED—Girl to work for family of two people. Call at 1444 L St.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Mrs. Herbert Goode, Fowler.

WANTED—Wrappers. Apply to manager, Gottschalk's.

WANTED—Stenographer and office assistant, must furnish references. Address, stating salary wanted, P. O. Box 1308.

WANTED—Girl to do cooking and general housework. Call 1407 K St.

WANTED—Competent girl for cooking and general housework and to help with children. Apply 174 Forthcamp Ave.

A GIRL for general housework. Mrs. A. B. Smith, 1644 K St.

WANTED—Young girl to assist in light housework in return for room and board. Phone Main 902.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. 232 Van Ness Ave.

WANTED—Young woman for general house work. Apply at 428 Valeria St.

WANTED—Waitresses at Norton's.

WANTED—Waitress and chamber girl. Apply between 9 and 12. 1542 J St.

I. G. LEVY'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE —Male and female. 907 J St., corner Kern. Hotel Berkeley. Tel. Main 516.

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS and board, also table boarders wanted. 1332 N. Main 2568.

WANTED—Table boarders at 1427 I. First class home cooking. Mrs. Clowdis.

WANTED—Table boarders, with or without rooms. 1720 K St.

BOARD AND ROOM at The Gables, 1436 K. First class. Phone 355.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders. 1433 L St. Phone Main 1532.

ESTRAYED

ESTRAYED—One sorrel horse, white face, branded M on left hip, with halter on. St. George Vineyard.

ESTRAYED—From 1018 N St. a blackish gray shepherd pup. Reward. Phone Main 2401.

ESTRAYED—From Fowler one black mare, weight about 1100; one white hind foot. Finder notify A. C. Blayney, Fowler.

ESTRAYED—Four horses from Kaiser Creek. One black horse; one brown mare; one black mare, white ankles; one brown mare, brand on hip J. S. Any information leading to the finding of the above described stock, give W. J. Fenton, Dinuba, or John Kenny, 221 Valeria St., Fresno, or John Bell, Big Creek.

FOR RENT—[illegible]

FOR SALE—5 [illegible] St. [illegible]

FOR RENT—Six room [illegible] nished house for rent [illegible] within walking distance [illegible] etc. Rent $[illegible]
PIERCE & ANDERSON

FOR SALE—Completely furnished apartment, everything new and first class. Apply St. Andrews, [illegible]

FOR RENT—Furnished [illegible] four miles Sunnyside [illegible] furnace. Address Mrs. [illegible] Route 1, Box 15

FOR RENT—One 4-room house partly furnished. Key at 3226 [illegible], or Warnekros Cyclery, 1045 I St.

FOR RENT—4 room modern bungalow, corner R and Merced. Garage for auto if desired. Phone Black 2[illegible].

FOR RENT—5 acres close to town, 4½ acres Thompson Seedless in full bearing, good 5 room house, barn and pumping plant. Address "Owner," Box 16, Republican office.

FOR RENT—Five room furnished house, 146 Diana St. Inquire 142 Diana.

FOR RENT—Large modern 6 room house 384 Poplar.

FOR RENT—4 room house, 2238 Calaveras St.

ELEGANTLY FURNISHED 4 room brick flat, $25.00; 5 rooms $21.50; 5 rooms furnished $15.00. Apply Pierce & Anderson, or 2130 Tulare St.

H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO., Fiske Bldg.

WE RENT houses, collect rents and look after the property of our clients. See our rental department.
WM. E. O. SAUNDERS & S. B. LEAS,
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FOR LOVERS OF GOOD FICTION

An Unanswered Question

By

ARTHUR HALLIDAY

PART I.

Let a man contend to the uttermost
For his life's set prize, be it what it will.

THE quotation was made by the doctor in defense of his argument. Our party on board the —shire was the small and ominous one of thirteen (two of us women), and we were either attracted by affinity or driven by our common need of companionship much into each other's society, especially since the latitude of icebergs and the advent of the open saloon fire, at which the toasting of buns for afternoon tea was the combined and serious business of men who when ashore were more or less absorbed in affairs of science or state.

But there was one man among us who rarely took part in the story-telling and discussion with which we beguiled the time. Some one had called him "The Unlucky Number," as he had been the thirteenth to board.

He was a youngish man, not more than thirty-five, with iron gray hair and mustache, which singularly distinguished him in appearance and set off his almost classical features. His skin was bronzed by long exposure to a hot sun, and something about the lithe figure suggested that he had spent much of his time on horseback—nothing of the jockey, but that appearance which some men have of being at their best in the saddle.

Perhaps it was because he so seldom gave a clew to his thoughts that our little circle listened with interest when he spoke. He attracted me strongly.

"Probably Browning himself did not fully realize that the superlative degree of his own maxim, 'Contend to the uttermost,' leaves no margin," he said in that quiet, noncommittal voice of his, answering the doctor's quotation.

The doctor, blinking his keenly bright eyes behind his glasses at the rays of the too hot fire toasting his bun, was not to be drawn into controversy. To toast well was the interest of that moment. Poetry and philosophy might occupy the next, but the doctor's scientific mind gave first attention to the matter in hand. "Tes!" The monosyllable was neither dissension nor affirmation.

"There is a query how far 'contention' is justifiable," proceeded the voice, which was melodious in its unimpassioned evenness. "Where the man ends and the brute begins is questionable. The individual has so many sides to character. So many contradictory impulses are equally the man that it is difficult to differentiate. 'A man' implies the whole personality—don't you think so?"

The general remark ended in a question to myself. I felt a quiet sense of scrutation, of comradeship. The darkness had fallen early. On deck the creaking of timber and straining of cordage, the heavy occasional tramping of feet and rattle of chains, reminded one that, though homeward bound, we were leagues away, and our only tangible world was that of our small community.

"If you feel talkee talkee, spin a yarn. I'm hungry," said the doctor.

The man addressed moved his position to a couch in the shadow and sat silently for some moments with folded arms.

"The lot has fallen to 'The Unlucky Number,'" he said. "The tale will not be gay."

"Is the ending happy?" asked the aged lady of the party. "Old folks and children love happy endings—the young because they have not lost their illusions and the old because they want to regain them. I am sure I don't know why the seers always asked for knowledge as life's supremest gift."

The doctor snorted and buttered his bun vigorously.

"To gain the wisdom to help fools, madam," he retorted. "There is a remedy for every ill; a man's business is to find and apply it."

"Sounds like a poultice, doctor," laughed the captain, who, after his second cup of tea, was properly aroused from his afternoon nap. "But if you can't call any man happy till he's dead it's equally impossible to pronounce on the end of a story till you've heard it."

"It was the third year of the drought," began the narrator, "and the thirsty land was parched for water. The grass had withered, the streams dried, the trees—save the tall tops of the blue gums—were leafless sticks. Under the brazen cloudless sky sheep and cattle sickened in thousands and died. Among the men who were ruined was"—he hesitated as though for a name—"Stanley Smith, reputed millionaire. His luck had been proverbial. Ten years earlier, an almost penniless younger son, he shook off the shackles of convention and, leaving the old family name to the care of those better able to support it, adopted another which called for less distinction and set sail for Australia."

Was this man himself? I wondered. Certainly his bearing might so far be accounted for. That he did not call himself Stanley Smith argued nothing. He spoke in a quiet key.

"But it was not as a gentleman down on his luck that Stanley meant to come. The remittance man had been there before him and established an unenviable reputation. Scapegoat, ne'er-do-weel, everything disreputable, nothing reputable—Australia knows these sons, shipped off hurriedly to the antipodes and supported there on sufferance, while a scandalized head of a house takes breath at home, thanking a forgiving Creator for the underworld where indiscretion may be hidden and old names relieved of indecency."

His voice was still even, his eyes concealed; only the faintest scorn of tone revealed any feeling.

"If the remittance man be not dipsomaniac there is employment for him on the sheep stations as shearer or cook, or, if he has knowledge of horseflesh—as to his cost he frequently has—he is of value in the stables. More than one son of an earl has eaten his mutton and damper in a shearing shed and washed it down with billy tea."

"I've shipped them home, that same sort, more than once," interrupted the captain. "Called back to deathbeds or unexpected fortunes."

"Stanley Smith did not wait for eventualities," resumed the other. "He built himself a hut on the verge of the forest and valley that now bears his name, mustered a few sheep and cattle within the inclosure, and, armed with a stock whip and a revolver, struck the first blow in the face of adverse Fate. If a man is decreed by Fate for disaster she resents 'contention.' But only a cur sits down to kicks, and this man had staked his soul on becoming rich. He had a reason."

The strange eyes were lifted for the first time, bright with their latent fire. "There is no sterner incentive than passion," he added, "and the woman had scorned his poverty. A man and his estate he concluded were one in her comprehension. So this man made the woman's ideal his lode star and followed it. It led him into mire, into quicksands"—

"He was wrong," interrupted the old lady. "To hold a woman is to master her, and by the man's own individuality, good, bad or indifferent. Once compromise and accept the woman's terms, all security for the man is lost, for women are never consistent—they change their outlook as they change their fashions. It is the man's ideal that should overrule."

"The Unlucky Number" looked attentively at the old lady.

"Perhaps," he resumed in his even tones. "There are women, though, who create an atmosphere. Beatrice led a man to paradise; Joan of Arc led men to victory. There is in some men's brains a fantasy that the sole virtue and truth of life past, present or to come, is—woman. The man I tell you of placed one woman above his soul. Greed meant ambition; her image was polished over cruelty and mercilessness." There was a pause. "The man grew rich, richer, the richest man in that part of the country. Then she married him."

"Poor beggar!" interjected the doctor.

"She was a bad lot," commented the captain.

"That is unfair," said the old lady, knitting quickly at a silk sock. "It is unjust to make a woman responsible for a man's defalcation. The bias of a man's own mind colors his life."

"If that be so," responded the courteous voice, "the color of that man's mind was the color of war. He fought all that stood as a barrier to the woman."

"That one woman!" I interpolated.

He looked at me curiously.

"She was fair," he resumed. "She had made it understood from the first that education, temperament and environment had unfitted her for martyrdom. Her beauty was not that which artists take as their model for saint; nature intended her for rule and conquest—and nature is a tyrannical potentate in the conduct of life."

"Nature," interrupted the old lady, "made us all animals. Don't tell me that a child's soul is beautiful! Watch it. All its instincts are animal. Love is education; the child smiles first at the face which means its providence. The higher up we are in intelligence the more refined our love. In its natural state the one bond between a man and a woman is animal instinct—the man to subjugate, the woman to be subjugated."

"This man believed the woman did not love him," proceeded the narrator, "except as the providence which kept all that was hateful, hard—how shall we call it—unsympathetic from her life. And she rewarded him with herself; her charm, her distinction, her beauty, her sweetness were all his. She was the queen of her circle. There was no woman in Melbourne whom it was a greater privilege to know. Her house was a link between the old world and the new. No one worth knowing came from home that Mrs. Stanley Smith, wife of the millionaire sheep farmer, did not know.

"Was her husband happy?" asked some one.

"What is happiness?" asked, in answer, the cool voice. "A gratified desire; a catching up of a phantom; an ambition realized. Yes, the man should have been happy. But, possessing all that he had bargained for, he yet desired more—poverty with that one woman's love!

"So that day when Stanley Smith rode home to his country house under the shadow of the hills where his wife had retired was his test day. He was a ruined man.

"He bowed his head to the furnace blast of the midday heat. The parched world seemed but a setting to his burning thirst of heart. He had dug springs, but had never drunk from them—given, but had not received. Today he was a beggar. Should he taste the sweet of charity? A cup of cold water given to him in love would mean more than all he had wrenched from destiny.

"His heart went faster than he. Would the beggar's thirst be quenched? It was imperative to know. His love had outdistanced his first desire. He had bought the woman fairly; she had been worth the price. But, having eaten of his bread, was he anything more to her than caterer?"

"And you—you who have fought for a kingdom?"

PART II.

THE group round the fire had grown quiet. Each face manifested its interest. The old lady had laid her knitting in her lap and was looking thoughtfully into the fire. The doctor's keen eyes shone behind his glasses.

"It was night when the horseman entered the bush which skirted his station. The intense silence which means miles of uninhabited country held earth and sky. The rustle of a leaf, the startled wing of a nesting bird, seemed loud in the profound stillness, for the hoof beats of the weary horse were muffled by an ancient carpet of fallen leaves.

"Suddenly, resonant and clear on the sultry darkness, broke a man's song:

"'Not mine (in this infernal place)—
Not mine to sing the matchless beauty of my lady's face.'

"Stanley Smith peered ahead and presently discerned a moving figure on the track—evidently a benighted 'sundowner.'"

"The Unlucky Number" turned to the doctor, whose only acquaintance with Australia was that gained by the trip.

"A 'sundowner' is a term used for a tramp who at nightfall camps at the nearest homestead. The 'sundowner' may be any one from a duke to a beggar. This man's voice had pronounced him gentleman. The indelible stamp of culture was in his accents.

"'Not mine to sing * * *
The matchless beauty of my lady's face.'

"Stanley Smith reined in.

"'Who goes there?' he asked.

"'John Jones, remittance man,' answered the man from the shadows, 'who, if he has luck, will reach Smithfield tonight, abode of Stanley Smith, millionaire, who, unlike me, has been assisted by fortune and has climbed up, while I have slipped down the ladder.'

"'I am Stanley Smith,' responded the man on horseback, 'and might I suggest that it takes a steadier head to climb than to slip?'

"There was a muttered imprecation from the man on foot, then a curt:

"'I beg your pardon. Good night.'

"'Certainly not good night. There is no question of donor and recipient between us,' said Stanley Smith quietly. 'We are a pair of beggars. All the world will know tomorrow that Stanley Smith, erstwhile millionaire, is once again "remittance man." The quarterly paid life pension is the end of his "famous" career.'

"He had dismounted.

"'I bid you welcome, comrade,' he concluded, with a short laugh. 'We are social and financial equals on the last rung.'

"The two men went on in almost silence together. John Jones, incurably indolent and reckless, had fallen in many rough places. To exist had at last become his only problem. But the white blood in his veins thrilled and steadied at the word 'comrade.' He had 'chummed' with many men in many wild places, risked life with and for them, defied law and order valiantly. 'Gentleman John's' delicate hand had been against every hand that held a rein. But his inward grace rose at the challenge of kinship. He had been known for his elegant manners as well as his vicious habits, and before they had reached the homestead the former had gained ascendency. It was not the bush tramp, but the gentleman, Stanley Smith introduced to his wife.

"'Constance!'

"'Sir John!'

"The recognition was mutual. The woman looked startled; the man had paled through his bronze. There were coldness in his voice and a steel glint in his eyes as he regained self command.

"'I had not heard that you were in Australia. Your husband's name was known to me only as the most fortunate squatter in this part of the country. My congratulations'—he bowed—'are perhaps late.'

"Sir John had rigidly disciplined his features, but his eyes blazed with passion—was it joy? But his manner was coldly courteous. As he stood in the rough dress of the bushman, his wideawake in his hand, bending before the beautiful woman, whose face had paled, the blood of his race predominated. Dissolute, homeless tramp he may have been, but behind him Stanley Smith saw the gray walls of his ancestral home.

"The three sat late that night under the shelter of the vine roofed veranda, and the unexpected guest told wild tales of wild scenes. The cold beauty of the woman shadowed at times like a still pool darkened by a reflected cloud. But her eyes were bent on the hills over which the moon had climbed. If her soul was tormented she did not betray it. The small, cool hands that lay in her lap were carelessly linked. The stories fitted the night and the scene. Images of death, shadows of despair, of revenge, flitted through them; doubt and mockery laughed one at another. The breath of the man told them was hot with bitterness—he set the teeth of a remorseless scorn into the puppets of Faith.

"'It is late,' said Constance at last, rising in interruption, her soft draperies falling in graceful folds about her statuesque figure, 'and your stories are eerie, Sir John. There are passions that weave a spell; have you no tales of these—of ambition, conquest, power? Revenge is but acknowledgment of defeat. Good night—dreamless sleep.'

"But in the breathless dawn both men were asking the same question—what the other stood for to Constance? Whether she loved or had ever loved him? With accentuated passion Stanley Smith demanded an answer."

The dismal notes of the foghorn and the protesting howl of the ship's dog brought us back to our surroundings. I had been watching, with the sad eyes that turned to mine, the red sunrise on the lonely Australian landscape.

"The deep and tranquil night," resumed "The Unlucky Number" when the melancholy foghorns had ceased, "the mysteries and marvels of the limitless universe, had made but a setting to the passion of these two men. Both had tasted their immortality, had found their enfranchisement at a woman's hand. The whole boundless sky of Milky Ways and stars did not light them as her eyes.

"But both men desired more than Constance the assurance that she and their ideal were the same. Each felt that he could surrender her to the other if the surrender were the test and proof that she could pass from the perfection of her coldness to sacrifice of self.

"'Gentleman John' had given her his all long since—the fat and the leanness of his heart. Every man has his limit, beyond which he cannot go, but he had manifested to her and to himself and to the eyes turned upon them that he had dismantled his life so that her feet might crush it. If the homeless 'sundowner' had a virtue it was in giving to the one woman all that his youth contained.

"But," he concluded, "to give her justice, her remorseless argument from the first was that no man's love could compensate her for poverty"—

"She was a modern Virgo," interrupted the doctor impatiently, "holding a pair of scales in one hand and a sword in the other."

"I'm sorry she married," sighed the old lady, knitting again at the neglected sock. "The only reparation a man and a woman can make each other for the destruction of their individual illusion is wholesale, heartfelt comradeship. Neither of these two men was at one with her. Each had pledged his life to her. I feel confident one was more to her than the other. I shouldn't wonder if it was the man who had failed!"

"If failure is a pass to woman's favor it should have been 'Gentleman John,'" proceeded the story teller, "for he had failed absolutely. Where Stanley Smith had striven he had let go. To 'contend to the uttermost,' as we agreed, means a steady nerve and unshaken courage. The finer, more subtle, the most generous instincts of a man are wounded and shaken. In dismay, not cowardice, some let go. May I excuse this man?" And the eyes that met mine were infinitely sad. "'Who are we,'" he asked, quoting Stevenson, "'to know all the springs of God's unfortunate creatures?' 'Gentleman John' was unexplained to himself—his pulse beat high for deeds, yet he lay with his face to the earth.

"In the dawn of the new days a new passion possessed him, which as yet he had not realized, but which threatened his love of the woman—love for the man who had attained and striven for her sake. He knew by his own defalcation how hardly and how far the other man had reached. If a pulse was in the woman's heart it would quicken for the man who had compelled fate to yield for her sake."

"Not necessarily," interpolated the old lady. "What one man gives to a woman rouses sometimes only a desire that the gift had been from another man."

"Constance took the news of her husband's ruin so quietly that it was dramatic. There was no overflow of reproach nor of regret. She listened in silence till Stanley Smith came to an end.

"'This is hard on you, Constance,' said her husband in a hard, dry voice.

"She was leaning on the veranda rail among the withered creepers, her shapely arms outlined through the muslin of her gown. The man watching her could have sworn he heard a sob strangled in her throat. But when she turned her purple eyes were dry—dry as the heavens whose deep color they reflected.

"'And you,' she queried, 'who have fought for a kingdom, conquered and had it wrested from you, is it not hard on you? To realize that your triumph over giants was not final—after the intoxication of empire and rule—how will you serve?'

"Was there pity or terror in her eyes? He did not know. His heart was crying out to her, 'It is your love only that I need!'

"But he did not ask the boon."

"He should have told her," interrupted the old lady. "It was due to both to know where they stood. Perhaps she believed that even his passion for her had been love of power. His pride may have seemed like neglect."

"You think so?" queried "The Unlucky Number." "At least there was outward peace, but a storm raged in the man's heart. What did the woman mean to do?

"When the trio met in the evening 'Gentleman John' saw that Constance had been crying. She was marble white and her eyes were dark. Yet there were no lines on the beautiful face. Without embarrassment she turned first to one and then to the other with a smile as she took her seat at the piano in the dim shadow of the long, low, ceilinged room. What would this regal creature do in a squatter's hut? There are women who are made for palaces and who confer a boon upon luxuriousness by their presence, and into the consciousness of both men watching Constance came the realization that she and sordid surroundings were incompatible.

"'We will not have any stories tonight,' she said, turning with a smile. 'I will sing to you.'

"Her song was 'A Summer Night:'

"'Have you forgotten, love, so soon
That night, that lovely night of June,
When down the tide, so idly dreaming,
We floated where the moon lay gleaming?
Can you forget?

"'Then first I knew your heart, my heart—
One life, one soul, no more to part:
Then, then I said, whate'er betide us,
No, death itself shall not divide us.

"'Ah, night of love; ah, lovely night of June
Have you forgotten, love, so soon?'

"There was a strained silence; then the men went out on the veranda to smoke. They made no pretense to talk; each was thinking of the soft, weird accompaniment of the woman's music.

"Neither had forgotten, but each was asking whether the message was for him.

"Constance joined them presently. You know that power which some women have of vitalizing the air, subjugating to themselves every alien interest, infusing one meaning—themselves—into life. These are the women who make history. Men do not ask whether they are good or bad; these relative terms have no significance; the one reality is the woman herself. Such was Constance. When she came there was no other presence; when she spoke there was no other truth—at least, to these two men. 'Gentleman John' was shamed in her presence of his shameful despair as no saint had shamed him. He had come to her a leper, and her touch had healed him. And Stanley Smith, if the chance befell him, would once again wrest might from right.

"Constance began to talk, not of the triumphs of her social world, nor of her loss, but of all the dead and blasted things which the drought had made. She spoke of the sheep and cattle thirsting and starving and dying with piteous eyes under a sunlit sky, of the trees struggling to shriveled leaf, and then she spoke of home. Once again the two wanderers saw the English fields of spring, yellow and white with buttercups and daisies and scarlet poppies growing among unripe corn. Gray towers rose among oak and elm, and the slow, wide sweep of the Thames divided shore from shore; the Embankment, with its glittering lights, the stream and stir of humanity, were before their eyes. It seemed to both men that they had bartered the right of sons for the husks in a far country. At that moment either man would have given his soul to have stood clean handed on his native earth."

"That woman was clever," remarked the captain, who had not spoken for an hour. "She wanted one of those two men to take her back to the old country. I should like to know which."

Our News Snapshot Page

FAMOUS FOREIGNERS WE MAY SEE THIS FALL

By J. A. EDGERTON.

THE flock of European notables coming to America this year will be larger than usual. Ellen Terry plans a journey to lecture on the heroines of Shakespeare; Sarah Bernhardt, "the divine Sarah," is on her way to appear in several new plays, also some old ones; Maurice Maeterlinck is coming to be present at the production of "The Blue Bird;" John E. Redmond and a bunch of Irish notables will attend the convention of the United Irish League of America; Mascagni and Puccini, the Italian composers, are both under contract to appear at the rendering of some of their operas in New York and elsewhere, and Cardinal Vannutelli, the papal legate, promised to visit the United States after attending the eucharist congress at Montreal. This takes no account of the bevy of song birds that fly over the Atlantic every winter nor of those titled tradesmen who visit our shores for the purpose of bartering a coronet for American dollars, with an incidental heiress thrown in. The operatic stars and penniless nobles we have with us always, but the great actresses, composers, authors and leaders come more rarely. Besides, they have brains presumably rather than mere voices or toy titles, and brains we always welcome.

She Played With Irving.

Ellen Terry announces that this will not be her farewell tour. That is not only frank, but has a dash of originality, as all other foreign actors and actresses, so far as I remember, have said that each visit to this country was positively a last appearance. Off the stage Ellen Terry is Mrs. James Carew. Her initial appearance in America this year will be at the Hudson theater, New York, on Nov. 8. The tour will last ten weeks or possibly longer and will embrace the chief cities of the country. She will illustrate her talk with readings from Shakespeare. In her long career on the stage as leading woman and co-star with Sir Henry Irving and later by herself she has portrayed nearly every important feminine role depicted by the great dramatist.

In speaking of her coming American lectures she said:

"I am just going to talk about some of Shakespeare's characters for an hour and a quarter at a time, and if you will forgive my presumption I think I have one or two new things to say about them.

"For instance, you have doubtless noted that the poet's heroines are usually spoken of as being so essentially feminine. Well, they were not. Take Rosalind, take Portia, take Viola, for example. Consider how ready they all were to adopt the manner and costume of men and how they contrived to deceive even their own lovers by their masculine bearing."

Ellen Terry was born in 1848 and made her initial appearance on the stage more than forty years ago. She was married three years ago, when nearly sixty. What is there about the stage that keeps women young?

"The Divine Sarah."

Sarah Bernhardt is nearly four years older than Ellen Terry, but looks and acts more than four years younger. It is not too much to say of her that she has been the leading Frenchwoman of her day, not only ranking as perhaps the most famous actress in the world, but having written novels, books and plays and having taken prizes in sculpture and painting. Her first appearance in America this year is at Chicago, on Oct. 31. Later she goes to New York for a four weeks' engagement and afterward makes a tour of the country.

Mme. Bernhardt will present the following repertory of plays, ten of which have never been given in this country: "L'Aiglon," by Rostand; "Jeanne d'Arc," by Emile Moreau; "Les Buffons," by Miguel Zamacois; "Sapho," by Alphonse Daudet; "La Sorciere," by Victorien Sardou; "La Dame aux Camelias," by Dumas; "La Biche," "Phedre," and "La Rampe," by Rothschild; "La Tosca," by Sardou; "La Passee," by G. de Porte-Riche; "Fedora," by Sardou; "Monna Vanna," by Maeterlinck; "Hamlet;" "Resurrection," by Battaille, from Tolstoy's novel; "Le Bois Sacre," "Romanesques" and "La Princesse Leontine," by Rostand.

During her last week "La Princesse Leontine" and "Faust" will be given prior to her departure for Paris, where she will begin her season in both plays. The productions for both will be made in this country. It is probable that Le Bargy, the famous French actor, will come to America for the production of "Faust."

Mme. Bernhardt is one more illustration of the truth that genius is the capacity for hard work. She has described some of her days, and they are strenuous enough to have been taken from the book of Colonel T. Roosevelt. While on the production of one of her plays she arose at 7:30 in the morning and did not retire till 2 o'clock at night. She rehearsed from 9 till 12 and from 1 till 5, supervised the scene painting, decorating and costuming in detail, looked over accounts with her cashier and attended to the business management, besides taking the leading role in the play itself. After reading her account one can understand how she has done so many things. Just another case of energy and hard work!

Italian Operas Brought Out Here.

America also is to have a race for her favor between two Italian composers, Pietro Mascagni and Giacomo Puccini. Both of them are to be here in the fall, each bringing out his latest work. This is a new departure and shows the advance of America as a musical center. Heretofore first productions of Italian operas have almost always been given in Italy. Mascagni's new opera is "Isabel," and he will conduct it himself. He also is under contract to appear as the conducter of a symphony orchestra at least sixteen times each month while he remains in this country. Mascagni, who is forty-seven years old and the father of five, has been in America before, but his wife left, declaring that she would never, no never, return. Now the Italian societies are preparing to receive and entertain both the signora and himself, so perhaps it will seem more like home. Mascagni is the composer of "Cavalleria Rusticana" and other well known operas.

Puccini does not conduct his own operas, perhaps because he is so nervous on first nights. His new work that will be given its initial performance in America is "The Girl of the Golden West," founded on the play of the same name.

"I saw 'The Girl of the Golden West' as a play when I was in America a few years ago," he said recently. "I was fascinated by it. Well, you know, the strength of the elemental passions, the health and vigor of the characters, struck me. 'There is an opera in that,' I thought. And so I set to work. I have been working on it a long time now. I follow the play quite closely, although the third act is somewhat modified. The characters are the same, but I put more soul into them."

Among Puccini's best known compositions are "Manon Lescaut," "La Boheme," "La Tosca" and "Madam Butterfly." He has been in New York before at the production of the last named opera. At first nights he usually sits in the wings and violently smokes cigarettes. His nervousness was exemplified at a recent production of "Manon Lescaut."

"I am quite worn out," he exclaimed, throwing a cigarette stump away and lighting a new one. "I always am the night of a performance. Success or failure, it is all the same—I am just as wrought up."

Just then waves of applause were carried across the footlights.

"Oh, yes, of course, I prefer this, but the excitement and worry are quite the same. An audience is always more or less an uncertain quantity. You can never be quite sure of what it will like."

Man Who Sways British Politics.

It is a far cry from Italian opera to Irish politics. John E. Redmond, who will be at the Irish league convention at Buffalo on Sept. 27, is not only the leader of his party in parliament, but is the balance of power between the Liberals and Conservatives and hence is very nearly the master of British politics. Redmond was born in 1851 and has been in parliament since 1881. He was at first the leader of the Parnellites, but since 1900 has led the united party. The motto of his followers is "Ireland a Nation," and his recent advice has been to subordinate everything to the attack on the house of lords and the winning of home rule. Accompanying Redmond to the Buffalo convention will be three other members of parliament, T. P. O'Connor ("Tay Pay"), Joseph Devlin and Daniel Boyle.

One of the most famous of the personages scheduled to visit America this autumn is Maurice Maeterlinck, the Belgian author, who will visit New York to see the production of one of his plays at the New theater. Maeterlinck is celebrated not alone as a dramatist, but as a poet, essayist and critic.

Cardinal Vincenzo Vannutelli comes to America as the representative of the pope and as such spoke before the important church conference in Canada. This meeting he expects to have great influence on the future of religion in the Dominion. His is the second visit of a Roman cardinal to this country.

JAPANIZATION OF ANTIQUE KOREA

MODERN Japan's annexation of ancient Korea seems to be largely a matter of form. In point of fact Korea has been ruled by Japan for several years. Korea since the Japanese occupation has been an empire only in name, with a puppet emperor created by Japan upon a throne that was tottering to its fall long before the Nipponese, eager, aggressive and even arrogant, deposed the old ruler.

Now that the actual annexation has taken place and Korea has become as much a part of Japan as Alaska is a part of the United States it is interesting to hark back some eons and review briefly the history of "the Land of the Morning Calm," as Korea has been called. Not the least interesting fact is that for 3,032 years Korea has been an independent nation. There is just as strong dramatic interest in the death of an old nation as in the birth of a new one and a great deal more of the element of tragedy.

Tradition tells us that the Chinese nobleman Ki-tse was the founder of Korean nationality. He is believed to have taken 5,000 followers from China to the Korean city of Pingyang, where he established the capital of the new kingdom. This was in the year 1122 before Christ.

About 500 years ago China isolated Korea by desolating a strip of fertile territory 60 miles wide by 360 miles long, and until early in the present generation this strip remained as a buffer between China and Korea. The latter became "the Hermit Nation," so called. For centuries the armies of Japan and China overran Korea at intervals.

Modern civilization knew but little of Korea until a Dutch ship was wrecked on the coast in 1653. The Dutchmen, when they finally escaped from the Hermit land, told stories about the country which sounded Munchausenic to conservative ears. It was many years later, however, when white men finally got a foothold in the quaint Land of the Morning Calm. In 1784 Christian missionaries planted the standard of the cross in the peninsula, and despite terrible persecutions at the hands of the natives they continued their work. But the Koreans, like the Japanese until half a century ago, strongly objected to outsiders. In 1866 a stranded American schooner, the General Sherman, was burned and her crew murdered by the Koreans. Sixteen years later a treaty of friendship between the United States and Korea was negotiated. Treaties with other nations followed, but Uncle Sam was the first in Korea, as in Japan, to make friends and offer the glad hand of welcome.

The parallel between Korea and Japan ended with the opening of the Korean ports. Japan went forward. Korea lagged behind. Japan adopted modern ideas and institutions. Korea clung to her ancient ways. The result was inevitable. It has just happened—annexation to Japan.

China, Russia and Japan have fought for domination of Korea. The war between China and Japan in 1894-5, which was won by little Japan against gigantic China, had for one of its principal causes the resumption by the Chinese nation of its ancient suzerainty over Korea. The brief but bloody war between Japan and Russia in 1904, in which Japan amazed the world by her triumph over the czar's mighty armies and navies, was largely a conflict waged for the control of Korea.

Notwithstanding annexation and the reduction of the emperor to a rank below that of the crown prince of Japan, the Koreans are waging a guerrilla warfare against the usurpers.

S. H. Kimm, formerly of the Korean legation and now president of the Korean Patriotic association, with headquarters in New York, says the Koreans in all parts of the deceased kingdom are in favor of keeping up the desultory fighting in the hope that their independence may be restored within a few years through the defeat of Japan by a stronger power, and this power, they believe, will be the United States. Mr. Kimm said, speaking of Japanese occupation of Korea:

"A tremendous army of occupation, now estimated at between 100,000 and 150,000 men, was sent into Korea, and the whole country was put under military rule. As a result more than half a million patriotic Koreans were forced out of the country and took refuge in Siberia and the western hemisphere. Nevertheless the atrocities committed by the Japanese in sacking and burning villages and murdering women and children roused the spirit of resistance in the natives more and more, until now there are again in the field fully 30,000 Korean soldiers, armed with rifles and matchlocks.

"When the time for the general uprising comes more than 100,000 eager, ablebodied Koreans will return to the war from foreign lands. Even now small bands of them are drilling in Mexico, Hawaii and the western part of this country."

Korea's population is 12,283,400 natives, 143,646 Japanese and 11,791 foreigners, according to the latest figures available. The Japanese contingent will increase rapidly, now that the mikado's scepter rules the land.

ROBERTUS LOVE.

BASEBALL PLAYERS WHO PLAY POLITICS

THE president of the United States, the vice president and most of the members of the cabinet are enthusiastic baseball fans. A large number of members of congress also sit on the bleachers and abuse the umpire. When a game is on in Washington it is impossible to keep a quorum in either house.

If politicians go to the ball game, why should not baseball players go into politics? Whether they should or not, they are going. Two of them are trying to make political home runs this year. Nor are they following the example of "Pop" Anson, who was elected city clerk or something in Chicago. They are after bigger game—United States senatorships, governorships and things like that. Perhaps they are emulating Senator Morgan G. Bulkeley of Connecticut, who used to be at the head of the Hartford club, and Supreme Court Justice Moody, who was also head of one of the minor leagues.

Then, again, it is just possible that they need no outside encouragement and would have run anyway merely because they like the game and want to play it for all there is in them.

Both of these ball players are old time pitchers in the big leagues. Now one of them is a manufacturer and the other a banker, both millionaires, of course.

The former is A. G. Spalding—"Al" Spalding, known pretty much to all lovers of sports the world around. Spalding is sixty years old, started as a clerk in various stores, then became a pitcher and won a lot of pennants, next sold sporting and athletic goods and made a lot of dollars and, last, has settled down at Point Loma, Cal., as a theosophist. Think of a man starting as a baseball pitcher and winding up as a theosophist! After that marvelous evolution or transformation, or whatever process it is he went through, his candidacy for the senate was the next logical step. No small job would fit him. He wants an election to the place place held by the Hon. Frank P. Flint of California. Flint declined to be a candidate for re-election because it was too expensive. That reason would not deter Spalding, although he announced that he would spend $7,500 in his canvass—no more, no less—and his friends say he has rigidly adhered to his word.

Spalding's first baseball experience was with the Rockford (Ill.) team, when he was seventeen. He pitched so well that the team beat the Washington champions. Then he was offered all sorts of salaries by the big leagues, but his mother opposed, and he went on clerking. As a clerk he was a hoodoo. Every store that hired him went into bankruptcy. It was not his fault, hardly his misfortune, for it finally decided him to go into baseball altogether. He was the sole pitcher for the Boston Red Sox for several years and got the pennant every time. Then he went with the Chicagos, and the pennant followed him. Afterward he was the president of the Chicago club for many years. Once he was elected president of the National league, or thought he was, but the election was thrown into the courts, and he resigned in disgust. He conducted the famous all America teams around the world.

A. G. SPALDING. JOHN K. TENER.

In his campaign Mr. Spalding's motto has been:

"I am a sportsman, and I have always stood for clean sport. I am a business man and have stood for clean business. If I should be elected to the United States senate I would stand for clean politics."

John K. Tener, Republican candidate for governor of Pennsylvania, is a sort of protege of Spalding, likewise of "Pop" Anson. Tener was a twirler for the Chicagos away back in the eighties. Then Spalding took him on the tour around the world, when Tener was not only one of the two pitchers, but the treasurer of the concern. When in England the boys had to play before the Prince of Wales, and a court flunky told them they must remove their caps. This made Tener sore. He said hotly: "I'll play this game out, but I'm going into something honest. If a ball player has to take his hat off like a monkey I'm going to be a banker and stay in America." And he has kept his word.

He settled in the new glass town of Charleroi, Pa., became president of the First National bank, was elected uncrowned ruler of the Elks of North America, went to congress in 1906 and this year was named for governor amid wild enthusiasm, nearly all of Charleroi and hundreds of Elks and baseball fans going to Harrisburg to root for him. Tener was born in Ireland in 1863. He is six feet four inches tall and weighs well, not quite as much as the president, but he is by no means in the featherweight class.

WALTER MCNAB.

RAISINS IN DEMAND; PACKERS FREELY OFFER TO BUY

Price of 3 1-2c, Together With Freight, Bid by Fresno Home.

GROWERS HOLDING

Impossible Now to Determine Rain Damage Until Weather Settles.

Although hundreds of raisin growers have suffered materially as the result of the rain which visited this section Wednesday and Thursday, the rain has also proved to be exceedingly beneficial for it has drawn the packers from their shells and prevented a stampede of growers, who would have sold for a much lower price than they might have received. The stampede would have occurred without a doubt for "history repeats itself" and the history of the raisin industry in Fresno county has shown without fail that when the packers stop buying, the growers eventually stampede and offer their goods at much lower figures than they first asked.

The first news of the activity of the "bear" packers, who have been holding back, waiting for the market to go down, was received yesterday when it was learned that the Fresno Home had offered 3½ cents and freight, or a price equal to this for a crop in Sanger and had been refused.

The packers believe that the crop has suffered considerably and consequently they are now out trying to buy. The growers are now taking a hand in this matter, however, and are now refusing to sell for 3½ cents, when the packers refused to buy at this figure before the rain. It is freely predicted now that raisins will reach 4 cents easily.

Until the weather settles once more, it will be impossible to ascertain just how much damage has been done to the raisin crop. If the weather is fair from now on, a large amount of goods will be saved, but if it continues muggy, mildew will destroy these.

Raisins which were on paper trays are now on the ground and it will necessitate the growers putting them back on trays by hand, which will undoubtedly cost more than the goods are really worth.

New crop figs were not damaged to any great extent for as fast as they dropped from the trees, as the result of the rain, they were picked up off the ground and put on trays. Some will sour and some will crack open, but it is not believed that the amount will be enough to make any appreciable difference in present conditions.

BUILDING TRADES FOLLOW FEDERATED

The Building Trades Council last night indorsed action previously taken by the Federated Trades declaring the Fresno Steam and Hughes laundries "unfair," because work was done on Labor Day. There is no strike, as the laundry workers have made no demands. Proprietor Egan insists that the action of both the Federated Trades and the Labor Council is irregular. He further says that on Labor Day he did only emergency work, with about a quarter of the regular crew.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

You Will Find Us

Not more persevering in our efforts to acquire business than to deserve and retain it—

Hence you are doing the best thing for yourself when you come here with all your optical troubles.

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Optometrists and Opticians.

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$1.00 Dining Chair

This is a solid oak chair; cobbler seat; continuous post legs and well made.

Sells everywhere for $1.50 to $1.75.

WORMSER FURNITURE COMPANY

Easy Terms. Cash Discounts

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URGE CAMPAIGN NOW ADVERTISING RAISINS THROUGHOUT COUNTRY

Never Has Opportunity Been So Good as Present, Say Chicago Firm.

Following up their telegraphic offer of $250 to advertise raisins at this time, James R. Baker & Co., Chicago wholesale commission merchants, write the Republican as follows:

Editor Republican:—We have just telegraphed you, as per the enclosed, for we feel certain that an active advertising campaign, started promptly and properly handled, putting raisins before the consumer in the right way, would result not only in a larger volume of business for the present, better prices for the producer and be the making of a stable market, but would have the effect of getting the consumer in the habit of eating raisins. This once done there would never be a surplus or a carrying over of this fruit, even if the acreage and production were twice as large as it is today, but there would be a clean-up and no surplus carried over from year to year, and the jobbers would necessarily want to carry large stocks of this fruit, knowing that the markets would be sustained, and that a certain and sure consumptive demand exists.

Never has this opportunity been as good as at present; for foreign raisins and currants are practically barred out owing to the short crops abroad.

This advertising should be borne by the producer, packer and broker, as they are all vitally interested in the sale of this product.

JAMES R. BAKER & CO.
Chicago, September 13, 1910.

HIGH COST OF MEAT CAUSES RISE IN MEAL PRICES

Restaurant Men to Make Uniform Increase of Five Cents.

AFFECTS ALL ORDERS

Price of Beef at This Time Higher Than Ever Before at This Period.

Never before in the history of the city has the price of meat been as high at this time of the year as it is now, and as a result those who are forced to rely on the restaurants for their meals will be obliged to pay more for their meals, a as uniform rise in prices is to take effect within the next two or three days.

A meeting of restaurant proprietors was held yesterday afternoon and at that time it was decided on a uniform increase in the cost of all meals with the exception of regular 25 cent dinners, which will be the same as before. Another meeting of restaurant men will be held in Union hall this afternoon at 2 o'clock at which time an agreement which has been drawn up will be signed.

No longer will the habitue of the restaurant be able to get a "ham and—" or a rib steak for the customary price of a quarter, for 30 cents will be the price when the new bill of fare goes into effect.

The restaurant men yesterday decided to raise the price of all short order meals uniformly 5 cents. Regular dinners with soup and pie will be the same as heretofore, but soup and pie: or soup or pie with a short order will be extra. Hot cakes and coffee, which have generally been sold at 10 cents, will hereafter be 15 cents. Ham and eggs are included in the general rise.

The price of beef at the present time is 8¾ cents wholesale, which is just half a cent lower than the high water mark reached last year on the price of this meat. Ordinarily the price drops from two to three cents during the summer, but this summer it dropped just half a cent, although in some instances it was selling for 8 cents. A prominent butcher of this city asserted yesterday that before the winter is over the price of beef will be from 11 to 12 cents wholesale, which means an almost prohibitory price for the consumer to pay. Incidentally such a price will be the highest ever paid in this city. Scarcity of good cattle is given as the cause of all the trouble.

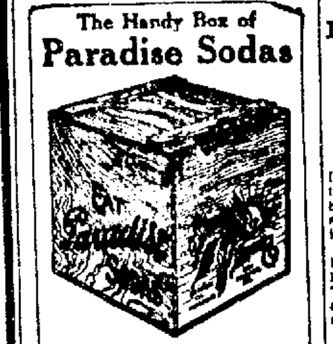
McCOLLISTER-MARTIN

The marriage of Carl Waldo McCollister and Ada Martin occurred Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the North Side Christian church parsonage, Charles Laurant Beal officiating. The newly wedded couple will reside on a farm near Kerman.

The best plaster. A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on over the affected parts is superior to a plaster and costs only one-tenth as much. For sale by all dealers.

BUKER'S MAGIC PILLS.
Twenty-five cents a box at Buker & Colson's.

The Handy Box of Paradise Sodas



When emptied can be used for library, dozen one use, or a hundred other uses around the house.

All grocers.

STANDARD BISCUIT CO.
Sole Makers of Paradise Sodas
San Francisco

COWELL TO OPPOSE NEEDHAM FOR CONGRESS

Stockton Editor Unanimous Choice of Democratic Committee.

MANY LEGAL MATTERS

Right of Hawson to Withdraw Discussed; Several More Argued.

A. L. Cowell, editor of the Stockton Mail, is the man who will oppose Congressman Needham for election, on the Democratic ticket. Cowell was unanimously chosen by the congressional committee which met yesterday in Stockton and he has accepted the nomination. He will announce his plan of campaign within a few days.

When the Fresno delegation went to Stockton yesterday, the members hoped to be able to secure the nomination of Miles Wallace of this city and announced their desire when the committee was called together at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the Hotel Stockton.

Miles Wallace of this city and J. B. Holohan of Watsonville were nominated for the office in addition to Cowell. For over two hours following the nominations, the committeemen discussed the candidates and the law on the matter, but without any personal feelings. As the discussion progressed, it soon became evident that Cowell was the man wanted by the committeemen from the majority of the assembly districts and in view of this, the names of Wallace and Holohan were both withdrawn before the matter was put to a vote, in order that the nomination of Cowell might be unanimous.

One of the reasons advanced for the nomination of Cowell was the fact that he had been considered as a candidate before Hawson entered the race and the representatives from the other districts seemed to think he was the stronger candidate, as they were not well enough acquainted with Wallace.

MANY LAW QUESTIONS.

In the course of the discussion regarding the candidates who had been nominated, several questions came up regarding the primary and general election laws which brought out numerous opinions, but which were not settled with any degree of certainty.

In the first place, it was suggested that Cowell might be obliged to run as an independent, owing to the fact that he had not been nominated at the primary election. Arguments against this were to the effect that the primary law gave to the congressional committee the power to fill any vacancies which might occur after the primary election. It was further pointed out that the primary law especially declares that all statutes shall be liberally construed and shall not be used to defeat the will of the electors.

One of the most important points brought up yesterday was the question of the right of the congressional committee to make the nomination. Some were of the opinion that this should be done by the state central committee stating that that organization had received a legal opinion to the effect that the congressional committee could make the nomination.

A third question of law was the right of Henry Hawson to withdraw from the race after his nomination. The primary law requires a candidate for a nomination to take an oath that he will not withdraw. Inasmuch, however, as it does not provide for nominees whose names are written in, and inasmuch as such nominees are not obliged to take any oath, it was asserted yesterday that the primary law had no bearing on Hawson's case and that he was at liberty to do as he wished.

COWELL WANTED OFFICE.

During a preliminary conference, prior to the regular meeting of the committee, it became evident to the Fresno representatives that Cowell desired to make the race. Cowell was present at this conference and when the Fresnans mentioned Wallace, Cowell asked that a recess be taken in order that the northern committeemen might consider the matter a little longer. Upon their return, they showed unmistakably their enthusiasm for Cowell and the Fresno delegates seeing that the northern men favored the Stockton editor over the other candidates, withdrew the name of Wallace, while another representative withdrew Holohan's name.

Cowell was selected principally on account of his knowledge of national affairs, as he has been a close student of them.

A. C. Oullahan of Stockton presided over the meeting, while Russell Uhler of Fresno, acted as secretary. The others present were B. F. Woodson of Lodi, Henry Hawson of Fresno, and Judge W. H. Kerr of Coalinga. F. V. Dewey of Hanford, D. W. Tullock of Modesto, and J. B. Holohan of Watsonville, the other members of the committee, were represented by proxies.

The secretary of the committee will submit a report of the meeting to Secretary of State Curry, asking that Cowell's name be placed in the Democratic column on the general election ballot.

REFORM SCHOOL BOYS MAIM SUPERINTENDENT

In Attempt to Escape Slash Baron Sampsell With Butcher Knives.

ALBUCQUERQUE, N. M., Sept. 16.—In a desperate attempt to escape from the New Mexico reform school at Springer today, three youthful desperadoes nearly killed the assistant superintendent, Baron Dekalb Sampsell.

Sampsell was cut and slashed with butcher knives and beaten with a poker, but it is believed he will recover. The attack was made in a recreation room where twenty-three boys were assembled.

Without warning, the three plotters precipitated themselves on Sampsell, who was unarmed. He struggled until weakened by loss of blood, when the boys wrested from him the key to the vault where arms are stored. Then the three, followed by several other boys, dashed toward the vault, only to be met by three guards, armed with rifles. Seeing their only avenue of escape cut off, the boys surrendered. They are now closely confined.

BANKS WILL ABANDON SATURDAY AFTERNOON HALF HOLIDAY PLAN

Selma Bank Gives Up System and All Others to Keep Open.

Beginning a week from today, the banks of Fresno City and county will discontinue closing Saturday noon. The bankers couldn't stay together on the proposition, the Farmers' Bank of Selma jumping the traces, according to the report in Fresno. It was a case of one, all.

The Fresno bankers say that the Saturday afternoon closing proved successful in Fresno, and after a few weeks the inconvenience was reduced to a minimum. One reason for closing was that the banks in the larger cities closed, and as banking is intimately connected with the business and financial world, the closing in the larger cities made closing desirable here. In the smaller towns, however, it did not work so well, farmers not readily changing the immemorial custom of regarding Saturday as their chief business day.

It is believed that the going back to the old hours will be welcomed in Fresno by most of the patrons of the banks.

MYSTERIOUS NOTE LEADS TO SUCCESSFUL RAID ON ORIENTAL DEN

Epistle Is Found in Call Box and Police Follow the Clue.

Five Chinese and Five Japs Remain in Jail Over Night.

Single-handed, Patrolman John Goehring executed successfully a raid on a gambling den in Chinatown at 11 o'clock last night. The place raided is located at 945 G street, upstairs over a mercantile store. Sam Sun Sing owns the house. Wong Sung was taken into custody for conducting a gambling joint in violation of the state law. Sung was cited to appear in the police court this morning at 10 o'clock.

Ten gamblers were caught red-handed in the midst of an interesting game of poker. Patrolman Goehring discovered the den while making his rounds in the Oriental section. Chief Shaw was informed of the proposed raid and he immediately hurried to the place. Acting Sergeant Farnam and Patrolman Bradley joined Goehring. In his anxiety to escape, an unknown Japanese leaped over a railing to the sidewalk from the second story and made his getaway.

Five Chinese and five Japs were taken to jail, where they were charged with gambling. They gave their names as Ah Wong, Ah Sucy, Ah Sam, Woo Sam, S. Cee, W. How, Y. Okomato, K. Matalake, I. Hada and G. Tamaya.

At 1 o'clock this morning Wong Sung and another Chinese summoned Attorney D. S. Ewing after Judge Smith had issued an order to Sung for the release of the ten gamblers. Special Officer Ragsdale accompanied the Chinese to the jail. Jailer Bob Rutherford refused to release the gamblers, as he had received orders not to release any men arrested by the police unless Judge Briggs issued the order. Attorney Ewing scrutinized the penal code in an effort to free the Chinese and Japs. Finally the effort was abandoned, as Judge Briggs asked $50,000 bail for the ten prisoners.

It was stated by the police at an early hour this morning that the clue to the existence of the gambling den at 945 G street was obtained by an anonymous note, ostensibly written by a Chinaman and dropped in the police telephone call box at F and Tulare streets. Patrolman Goehring found the note and immediately located the den.

IMPROMPTU MATADOR HERO OF BULL FIGHT

Deputy Sheriff Shoots Toro That Charges Crowd; Mexicans Celebrate.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 16.—Bert E. Rico, a deputy sheriff and member of the Vaquero Club, proved the real hero of a bull fight that was not on the program at the Mexican centennial celebration at Schuetzen Park today.

Enrique Robles, a Spanish toreador, and his matadors were engaged in a bull dodging exhibition. The animal became enraged and crashed through the flimsily constructed fifty foot ring, and was dashing head down into a crowd, which included many women, when Rico stepped forward and fired a revolver bullet into the head of the furious animal. It dropped in its tracks, six feet away from the densely packed throng of terrified spectators. Rico was given an ovation.

The toreador's exhibition brought to an end a barbecue and program of Mexican sports. There were other bulls on hand, but a humane society officer ruled against a continuance of the sport.

The celebration was given under the joint auspices of the Hispano-Americano and Vaquero Clubs and was attended by more than 50,000 persons. The park celebration was preceded by a parade, which was distinctly Mexican, including many gaudily costumed horsemen for the floats. A number of Mexican societies observed the centennial with celebrations tonight.

FOWLER DEFEATED.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Sept. 16.—Judge William N. Runyon of Union county was nominated for Congress today by the Republicans of the Fifth congressional district, defeating Charles N. Fowler, a member of the present Congress.

THE NEW FALL GARMENTS, with their bright, smiling faces nod a merry good morning to you—Just unpacked are a lot of the cleverest school suits for girls you can imagine. And the Kutner way, you know, is to feature them at low prices, because we find there are ever and ever so many mothers who have their girls' suits to buy, feel like paying only a limited amount for growing girls' suits.

SO THESE NEW CLOTH SUITS AT $12.95

Go on sale at an opportune time. They're made of basket weave and striped worsteds, new models in all the best Fall shades; sizes 14-16-18-20.

Trimmed Hats on Sale Again Today at $3.95

New Black and White Check Dresses $13.50
They're one-piece dresses with peasant blouse; black yoke and cuff skirt; very smart new style.

Persian Waists $5.50
Many women will be delighted to know that such pretty Persians can be had in prettily made waists for so little.

Plaid Waists $5.00
The plaid is always a favorite Fall patterns and this season's models are delightfully pretty at so low a price.

Madeline Scarfs $7.50
Black satin, Duchess lined, with gold, lavender and light blue; tasseled ends; very large.

Wool Sweater Coats $2.48
Women's fine wool garments, in white and cardinal; rope or zig-zag stitch; two pockets; V neck.

SATURDAY DOMESTIC BARGAINS

Idealean Flannels 20c
They look just like the wool French serges

Wingdown Flannels 10c
A 12 1-2c value; in choice patterns for night dresses

Bleached Muslin 7 1-2c
Full yard wide.

Black and White Shepherd Checks
Best quality ginghams; fast colors .... 12 1-2¢

3 lb. Cotton Batt 69c
Snowy white—opens out in one sheet the size of a comfort.

Saturday Extras

2 quart Fountain Syringe; 2 hard rubber tubes and tubing, with regular stop .... 98¢
2 quart Hot Water Bottle; guaranteed .... 98¢
3 large cakes Colgate's Almond Cream Soap .... 25¢
Pears' Precipitated Fuller's Earth .... 20¢
10c cake best Gum Camphor 8¢
50c Mme. Yale's Massage Cream .... 40¢
10c pkg. Absorbent Cotton. 7¢
The new Harmonic Primer is now here.
Unlaundered Handkerchiefs with dainty initial .... 10¢

Wide Embroideries 50c
Corset cover and flouncing widths, on sale today.

Munsing Undervests 60c
Fall weight vests and pants, in the celebrated Munsing make.

Hair Ribbons 16c
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Saturday Night Extras

7:00 to 9:30—No Phone Orders—None Sent C. O. D.

6 Hair Nets; large size .... 25¢
10c pkg. Envelopes; linen finished, 2 for .... 15¢
25c Boraxo for the bath .... 20¢
10c Writing Tablets, ruled 7¢
5c Brass Sash Rods .... 3¢
7c Apron Gingham .... 5¢
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Shoe Day, Today at Kutner's

You can always do better at Kutner's. You get better goods usually and you pay the lowest price. Our shoes at $3.50, $4 and $5 are as good as money can buy.

Women's Shoes at $4.00
High shoes with short vamp; patent kid; hand turned soles; high Cuban heels; for dress or street wear.

Boys' Shoes $2.00
Sizes 2 1-2 to 5; box calf; heavy soles; blucher cut; mat calf tops.

Saturday Specials in the Grocery Dept.

Fancy Bellefleur Apples, box $1.25
Knox Gelatine, pkg. .... 10¢
Sour Pickles; qt. .... 15¢
Mustard, per bottle .... 7¢
Pint bottles Crosse & Blackwell's Olive Oil, bottle .... 40¢

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Hand Made Collars 75c

Irish croche, Dutch collars; all hand made; exceptional value, on sale today.

TAFT WON'T STEP ASIDE FOR TEDDY

Would Accept Second Nomination in 1912 If It Were Offered.

BEVERLY, Mass., Sept. 16.—The publication of a story in certain newspapers purporting to come from Beverly and announcing that President Taft has decided to step aside as a presidential candidate in 1912 to make way for Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, brought many inquiries to the summer capital today. It was decided not to dignify the story, which is reported to be without any foundation whatever, with a statement.

It can be stated that there has been no change in President Taft's attitude toward a second term since he told a number of friends a few months ago that he would accept a second nomination if his party desired it.

The President, it is said, is not considering his chances for a second term one way or the other at this time. From the first he has said that he would devote himself to carrying out as nearly as possible the pledges of the platform on which he was elected. Taft, it is pointed out, does not know how to play politics and he has been quoted as saying that he would not do so if he could.

The fact that he has often in his speeches referred to the fact that he has only the rest of his present term to serve means, it is said here, that Taft does not feel that he nominated himself and that he will not make a political bid for the nomination.

The President starts for New Haven and Cincinnati on Sunday night. He will be away from Beverly two weeks, returning here October 2 to remain until the 15th.

Grahame-White, the English aviator, called on the President at Burgess Point today.

PRATT ACQUITTED.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Sept. 16.—C. L. Pratt, who shot and killed former Deputy U. S. Marshal Dick Terry at Tahlequah last June, was acquitted today. Pratt, who was cashier of a bank at Kansas, Okla., pleaded self-defense.

RUSSIAN DIPLOMAT DYING.

PARIS, Sept. 16.—M. Alexander Ivanovitch De Nelidoff, the Russian ambassador to France, is dying.

The diplomat was stricken with apoplexy while passing through Munich on August 8th. He was born in St. Petersburg in 1834 and at the age of 19 was appointed to a place in the foreign office. He served his country as ambassador successively at Constantinople, Rome and Paris, which last post he has held since 1903. He was president of the second Hague peace conference in 1907.

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